

GOVERNOR OF GUAM IS ROASTED TO A TURN BY HIS EX-SECRETARY.

W. B. SMITH DECLARES THAT HE IS A TYRANT AND IS UNFIT
TO GOVERN MEN—WILL BE INVESTIGATED
BY CONGRESSIONAL
COMMITTEE.

W. B. Smith, brother of Police Court Judge Mortimer Smith, returned from Guam Thursday on the U. S. Transport Solace. Smith has been private secretary to Military Governor Schroeder of Guam, who holds the rank of Commander in the Navy. When seen at the home of his mother, 683 Sycamore street today, by a TRIBUNE reporter Mr. Smith had the following to say:

"Governor Schroeder's acts as Military Governor of Guam will be the subject of Congressional investigation. In all probability I will be called as a witness. It would be impossible for me to talk concerning facts which first should be brought to light before the Congressional Committee on Naval Affairs. If I were at liberty to talk I could fill a newspaper with an account of the maladministration of Governor Schroeder.

"He is of German extraction, coming from South Carolina. He entertains peculiar ideas in regard to the proper place of a civilian and still more peculiar idea of the rights of an enlisted soldier. A soldier in his opinion is a cur whom every officer should spurn, beat and abuse. During the three months I acted as his secretary, there were 70 summary court martials of enlisted men and 12 general court martials making a total of 82 men out of 150 marines who were confined, starved and overworked beneath the fierce beating of a tropical sun.

"In fact the treatment of the men was so brutal that it caused

a mutiny. The men to escape the persecutions and merciless punishment were forced to fly to the barren foot-hills, without food or shelter, returning only when starvation and hunger compelled them.

"While the treatment of the private soldier meted out by Governor Schroeder almost surpasses belief, his inhumanity extended to civilians as well. To illustrate, the government has an ice factory there which turns out thousands of tons of ice per day. Yet a civilian clerk cannot obtain ice, which is almost a necessity, for love or money. He can steal, but a fever-stricken patient has not the opportunity of stealing. A thousand pounds of ice a day are thrown away, yet a civilian cannot obtain one pound of it.

"Clerks generally last from two to three weeks under Schroeder, when they take the first vessel leaving port in any direction.

"Governor Schroeder refused transportation to civilians, although their appointments called for it. Appointees of Congressmen coming from prominent families, were forced to stow-away like ordinary castaways, enduring all the hardships and privations of the penniless out-cast, who has the misfortune to stow-away. I could tell you much, but I am not at liberty to divulge certain facts which are much stronger than anything which has appeared in print or has been told."

Smith was appointed through the influence of Congressman Metcalf, but states he is heartily glad to get back to America again.

SPARK FROM PIPE CAUSED WRECK.

ALTOONA, Pa., Aug. 31.—At Munson, a mining town north of this city, Emanuel Remus, a German farmer, was emptying powder from one cask into another at his home when a spark fell from his pipe into the powder. The explosion which followed wrecked the house and hurled the Remus family in all directions. The father, mother and two children were terribly burned and mangled. All are living, but their death is expected.

ALAMEDA BOYS BEATEN.

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 31.—A special to the Telegram from Astoria says: "The first event of the morning was a special between the Alameda crew and a Portland four. The Portlanders won by about two lengths. Going up the Oregon crew had the lead most of the time, although the Alamedans rounded the stake first. The Portland men pulled a much longer stroke

SIX PEOPLE WERE KILLED IN A FIRE.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—Two more victims of the fire in the tenement houses in Brooklyn last night, in which four persons lost their lives and seven were seriously injured, died today, bringing the number of dead up to six. Minnie Beck and Joseph Beck died at the hospital today of their injuries and their mother, Mrs. Annie Beck, who was badly injured, it is said, cannot recover. The list of dead now is:

MRS. ROTHGIESER, 33 years old, ANNE BECK, 10,
LILLIE BECK, 3,
MINNIE BECK, 3,
JOSEPH BECK, 2 months,
FRANK RUDD, infant.

YANKEE WON A FORTUNE.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—John Madden's Yankee, at 4 to 1, won the Futurity at Sheepshead Bay today. The Whitney stable's Nassarius and King Hanover were favorites in the betting, coupled at 7 to 5, but both were in the rack at the end. After a short delay at the post they were sent off to a good start, and there was a warm scramble to the turn for home, at

which point King Hanover was in front, pressed by Luxcasta and De Reszke. When they straightened out Yankee closed with a great rush and won driving by a length and a half. Luxcasta was second and Baron was third. The winner was loudly cheered, while O'Connor, the jockey, took the accustomed place in the tiercer chair. The time was 1:05 1-5. The winner's share of the stake was \$36,900.

YANKEE WINS GREAT RACE OF SEASON.

MADDEN'S HORSE WINS THE
RICH AND CLASSIC
FUTURITY RACE.

Luxcasta Comes in Second and
Baron Breaks Into
Third Place.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—Yankee wins by a length; Luxcasta second; Baron third.

The first betting—Whitney entry, 9 to 5; Madden entry, 4 to 1; Hono, 8 to 1; De Reszke, 8 to 1; Flywheel, 12 to 1; Baron, Luxcasta, Hyphen, Pentacost, 15 to 1; Saturday, Utopian, 20 to 1; the others 100 to 1.

GREAT RACE.
NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—Today was set for the formal opening of the fall racing season in the Metropolitan district, and thousands of persons flocked to the Sheepshead Bay course to see the rich and classic futurity decided. With all the conditions well high perfect—a bright, clear day and a fast track—a record-breaking crowd was expected.

This was the fourteenth renewal of the futurity. It is a produce stake, mares being nominated in foal. The starting fee is \$250, and the association adds to the entrance and starting fee \$750. The race was to be run today for the last time on the old futurity course, which is 170 feet short of six furlongs.

Only two fillies have won in the history of the race—The Butterflies in 1894 and Allouette in 1897. Many think Blue Girl will make the third one to score today.

Eighteen of the best youngsters in training were entered as probable starters today. The field was a high class.

BODIES ARE BEING FOUND.

Remains of Two Women Are
Taken From Trenton
Wreck.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 31.—The bodies of two more victims of the explosion on the steamboat City of Trenton were recovered from the Delaware this morning.

Both were of women. One was identified as the remains of Amanda Cross, 21 years of age, of Philadelphia. The recovery of two bodies increases the number of known dead to thirteen and decreases the number of missing to fifteen.

One of the bodies recovered yesterday and identified as Harry Johnson of Humesville, Pa., was visited by relatives today, who said it was not Johnson's body.

A force of men is at work clearing out the hull of the burned vessel, and it is expected they will find several bodies.

SCENE OF THE HUNT HAS BEEN SHIFTED.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 31.—The scene in the hunt for "Boss" Francis, the murderer of Miss Mary Henderson at Columbus, shifted during the night to Strasburg, two stations west of Holden. There dogs and men made a fresh start this morning and are now covering every foot of ground around that town. There appears no doubt that Francis jumped off a Missouri Pacific train at Strasburg last night and made for the woods nearby.

At noon it was believed that the posse was close on the trail of Francis. When captured he will probably be taken to Columbus, fifteen miles overland from Strasburg, and burned at the stake at the Hyatt farm.

SALISBURY'S HEALTH SAID TO BE FAILING.

LONDON, Aug. 31.—The Associated Press learns that the rumors of Lord Salisbury's retirement are due to the existence of agitation within the Premier's own family that he take the step in order to preserve his health.

PIET DELAREY IS IN THE HANDS OF THE ENGLISH

LONDON, Aug. 31.—Lord Kitchener, telegraphing from Pretoria, says: "Garratt has captured Piet Delarey, brother of the assistant commandant general."

EASTERN WEATHER.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—Temperatures at 7 a. m.: New York 70, Boston 68, Philadelphia 68, Washington 66, Chicago 64, Minneapolis 50, Cincinnati 66, St. Louis 64.

COLUMBIA WINS FROM CONSTITUTION

OLD BOAT TAKES THE LAURELS FROM THE NEW
CHAMPION.

First Series of Races to Decide
Which Yacht Will Meet
SHAMROCK.

BATEMAN'S POINT, R. I., Aug. 31.—In the first of the trial races to select a defender of the America's cup, the Columbia, the 1899 defender, gave the Constitution, this year's aspirant, a decisive beating over a fifteen mile windward and leeward course, sailed in a smooth sea, with a fine 12-knot breeze and no flukes.

The Columbia had the better of the start and gained steadily to the windward mark, rounding nearly two minutes ahead of Constitution. On the run back to the finish, which was a broad reach, the old boat pulled out some more and crossed about four minutes ahead of the Constitution.

Deducting the time she led at the start and adding her time allowance of one minute and eleven seconds, Columbia won by about four minutes and thirty seconds.

Just before leaving for the start the committee announced that under the new measurements Constitution allows Columbia one minute and eleven seconds over a thirty mile course. This is a decrease of six seconds since the yachts were last measured.

BATEMAN'S POINT, Aug. 31, 3:08—Columbia crossed finish line at 3:02:01. Constitution crossed at 3:06:03.

BATEMAN'S POINT, Aug. 31, 3:08—The official time of the start is as follows: Columbia, 11:41:15; Constitution, 11:42:00.

Columbia therefore beats Constitution three minutes and seventeen seconds.

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BOERS ATTACK BRITISH TRAIN.

Blew it Up With Dynamite and
Then Opened
Fire.

LONDON, Aug. 31.—A dispatch from Lord Kitchener dated Pretoria, today, says:

"A train was blown up today between Waterval and Hamun's kraal by 250 Boers, who at once fired on the train, setting it on fire.

"Lieutenant Colonel Vandalour, of the Irish Guards, a most promising officer, was killed.

"The other casualties have not yet been reported.

SAN FRANCISCO WOMAN TAKES HER LIFE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—Mrs. Ida F. Revington, wife of a tailor, committed suicide at an early hour this morning by swallowing carbolic acid. She believed herself to be a sufferer from an incurable disease. Deceased was 32 years of age.

CHAPMAN AND CLIFT WILL REMAIN HERE.

EDITOR TRIBUNE: The report in circulation that we intend to abandon our law offices here and open offices in San Francisco is utterly without foundation in fact. Yours, etc.,

CHAPMAN & CLIFT.
Oakland, August 31, 1901.

WILL BE BURIED IN THE GARDEN CITY.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—The bodies of Arthur Carl Rudolph and his wife, Senadha, victims of the double tragedy that occurred yesterday afternoon, were removed to San Jose today at the instance and direction of the dead man's mother and brother, both of whom are residents of the Garden City. The bodies will be laid side by side in the family plot at San Jose.

GEN. LUDLOW'S REMAINS WILL BE CREMATED.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31.—Information has been received at the War Department that the remains of Brigadier-General Ludlow will be cremated. Services will be held Tuesday at Trinity Church in New York. The ashes will be interred at the old home of the Ludlows on Long Island.

NO CHANCE TO SETTLE THE STRIKE

THE DRAYMEN'S ASSOCIATION
WITHDRAW ALL
OFFERS.

Captain Lyman Has Asked the
Mayor for More Protec-
tion on Front.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—An amicable settlement of the local strike appears today less likely than ever before.

The Draymen's Association, through its secretary, George Renner, this morning announced that all negotiations with the teamsters were at an end and that no further conference would be held.

He added that the proposition submitted Thursday last by the employers had been withdrawn.

OTHER INDUSTRIES.
Among the other industries involved in the strike the situation remains unchanged. The pivotal point is the lockout of the teamsters and the other grades have awaited the outcome of the differences between the draymen and their employers before instituting negotiations for settlement.

On the part of the employers continued efforts are being made to replace the strikers with non-union workmen, and every day adds to the number thus employed. At the same time the agents of the unions are not particularly successful in inducing some of the

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SULTAN WANTS CASE REOPENED.

Asks the French Ambassador to
Return to Tur-
key.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 31.—M. Bapst, counselor of the French embassy, has received from the Porte a copy of a telegram sent to the Ottoman embassy in Paris for the French foreign office.

This telegram, while giving vague assurances, formulates nothing concrete. It requests a resumption of diplomatic relations between the two countries with a view to reaching a satisfactory settlement of the matters in dispute.

RAILROAD MAN IS GIVEN A NEW POSITION.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Aug. 31.—David R. Gray, for several years general agent of the Southern Pacific in Salt Lake, has been appointed general agent in the inter-mountain region for the entire Harriman system, including the Southern Pacific, Union Pacific, Oregon Short Line and Oregon Railway and Navigation Company. This is a new position growing out of the recent railway consolidations.

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ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 31.—E. H. Bradley of Seneca Falls, one of the victims of the Fairville wreck Thursday evening, died this morning. This makes the total number dead thus far as the result of the accident twelve.

THIRTY-SIX WERE KILLED IN THE WRECK ON GREAT NORTHERN.

EIGHTEEN FREIGHT CARS BROKE LOOSE FROM A TRAIN AND
RAN DOWN A HILL FOR SIXTEEN MILES, FINALLY
CRASHING INTO A PASSENGER
TRAIN.

KALISPELL, Mont., Aug. 31.—Thirty-six lives were lost and thirteen persons were injured in the wreck of the Great Northern passenger train No. 3 at Nyack, thirty miles west of Kalispell. None of the passengers were injured, the fatalities having been confined to employees of the Railroad Company.

The wreck was caused by the breaking in two of a freight train on the steep grade of a Rocky Mountain foothill. The rear end of the freight train, which was just pulling out of the station at Nyack. The car attached to the rear end of the passenger train, the private coach of Superintendent Downs, and his son, Kirk, and their cook, Henry Blair, were instantly killed. The car just ahead contained forty-six Scandinavian laborers, en route from Duluth, Minnesota, to Jennings, Montana. They were killed wholesale. Only thirteen were taken from the debris alive.

Fire immediately following the collision, quickly destroyed the private car, cremating the bodies of those within.

The flames were quickly communicated to the car ahead, or rather to what remained of it, and the bodies of

twenty-eight of the unfortunate laborers also were cremated. The third from the rear also was burned, but those within managed to escape when the collision occurred. The fire continued to spread through the mass of debris, caused by the destruction of the dozen or more freight cars, and their consignments of valuable freight.

Finally the passenger train was cut in two between the third and fourth cars from the rear and the balance was drawn to a safe distance from the fire.

All telegraph wires on the poles alongside the track were soon melted and communication was thus cut off a few minutes after the collision. Physicians were taken to the scene from this city and all traffic was for a time suspended while the wreck and train crews endeavored to rescue the bodies of the killed and wounded and clear up the debris.

STORY OF THE WRECK.
ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 31.—General Superintendent T. E. Ward gave the Associated Press the following statement of the wreck on the Great Northern near Kalispell:

"Accident at 8:30 p. m., August 30th, at Essex, Montana, eighteen cars broke loose from the rear end of the freight train and ran down the hill sixteen miles to Nyack Station, where it over-

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CARNEGIE GIVES \$50,000 FOR HALL

LONDON, Aug. 31.—Andrew Carnegie has given £10,000 to build a town hall at Motherwell, Lancashire, Scotland.

MANUEL GEORGE IS BADLY INJURED.

HAYWARDS, Aug. 31.—Manuel George, aged 19 years, of San Lorenzo, was found unconscious in Crow Canyon today. His skull is fractured. He is supposed to have fallen from his horse.

GRAND AUCTION SALE.

Of fine furniture, carpets, piano, etc. We have received instructions from T. J. Pyne, 1251 Park avenue, near Encinal avenue, to sell out at public auction, on account of departure for England, Sale Tuesday, September 3, at 11 A. M.

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SAN FRANCISCO RAILROAD MAN IS PROMOTED

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 31.—The Mobile & Ohio railroad has created the office of assistant general passenger agent and appointed John L. Beall to that position, with headquarters in St. Louis.

Mr. Beall is the Pacific Coast passenger agent of the Southern Railway system at San Francisco.

He will enter upon his new duties as soon as he arrives here.

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New Story Told to the Strikers in the Steel Works District.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 31.—Dental is made in McKeesport this morning of the report that a break had been made in the strike through the return of about forty men to the seamless tube department of the National Tube Works.

Rumor has it that John Jarrett, secretary of the Labor Bureau of the American Sheet Steel Company, has gone to Europe to secure skilled labor to replace the strikers, but the report is discredited in labor circles. It is known that Mr. Jarrett has not been a well man for some time and it is said that his mission to Europe is in search of health.

The proposed miners' demonstration at Monaca, Pa., on Labor Day, it is said, has fallen through. The miners fear a clash between the miners and the town authorities. The labor demonstration in Pittsburgh promises to be the greatest ever seen here. Those having the affair in charge claim that 2,500 men will take part in the morning parade. Following the parade the allied trades and labor unions of Western Pennsylvania will hold a grand rally at Ross Grove, a few miles north of this city.

The tube works at Beaver Falls, employing 2,000 hands, which was shut down June 15 and shortly afterwards sold at a receiver's sale, will resume operations on next Monday under the management of the Pittsburgh Seamless Tube Company. All the plants started in this city since the strike began were operating with increased forces today.

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non-union men to leave work, and the leaders claim that the amount of business being carried on is accomplished at an enormous expense to the employers.

FEW DISTURBANCES.

Disturbances due to the strike were not numerous today as earlier in the week. In several instances non-union workmen were assaulted in the water front district and in the part of the city south of Howard street.

WANTS MORE POLICE.

Captain Leman, assistant marine superintendent of transport service, has asked Mayor Phelan for additional police protection for the men employed on the Government wharf. Of late the men working on the Fulton street dock have been assaulted, while going to and from their employment, and the transport officers have determined that the men should be protected. It was stated that if the police were inadequate for the purpose the authorities would be asked to furnish a guard of United States troops.

"There was little or no news at the Labor Council today, but the announcement was made that there would be a session of the Council tonight, at which details for the labor parade on Monday and other matters would be discussed.

BOHEMIANS WILL MEET THE FORESTERS.

The Bohemians and Foresters baseball teams will meet tomorrow at Golden Gate Park in this city and a lively game is promised by the managers of the two teams.

The Bohemians will appear for the first time in their new suits, which are bright enough to dazzle the playing of the other team. Manager Kohl of the Bohemians says he has a fine team and is willing to match them against any amateur football team in the State.

On September 8th the Bohemians will meet the Dewey team, and on the 15th the Elks.

The line-up for tomorrow's game is as follows:

Bohemians	Foresters
Callahan	Catcher
St. John	Pitcher
Adams	First base
Ward	Second base
Gleason	Third base
Kern	Short
Smith	Center field
Cassidy	Right field
Hyde	Left field
Lackey	Manager

DUDES TAKE GAME FROM SAN FRANCISCO.

Oakland easily defeated San Francisco yesterday by a score of 11 to 1. The Dudes scored six runs in the first inning. After that the game was easy. Whalen was freshly batted. Two runs were made in the fourth and three in the fifth inning. Muskinman pitched for Oakland.

Los Angeles defeated San Francisco by a score of 6 to 3.

PRESIDENT M'KINLEY WILL GO TO BUFFALO.

CANTON, O., Aug. 31.—President McKinley and party will leave Canton Wednesday morning for Buffalo, going by way of Cleveland.

Specials For This Week

- Your choice of Flour, per sack, 86c
- Cane Syrup, 25c
- Grape Nuts, 25c
- Can of Best Oil, 70c
- 3 Bars Soap, 25c
- 1 Bottle Salad Oil, 15c

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Governor Shaw Makes a Statement Concerning the Presidency.

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 31.—Governor Leslie M. Shaw of Iowa passed through Omaha this morning en route to Des Moines. When asked regarding Senator Dolliver's announcement at Chicago last night of his candidacy for the Presidency, Governor Shaw made the following statement declaring he would say nothing further:

"I have neither inspired nor encouraged any mention of my name in connection with 1904. Senator Dolliver is correct in the statement that it is too early to determine. The first thing for Iowa to do is to roll up for our own ticket the biggest majority ever polled in the State and this we will now do."

PULPIT AND PEW

The pulpit announcements for tomorrow are as follows:

PRESBYTERIAN.

First Presbyterian Church—Rev. E. E. Baker, pastor, will preach at the morning and evening services tomorrow. In the morning the subject will be "Transference of Life"; in the evening, "Vacation Lessons."

Brooklyn Presbyterian Church—Rev. H. W. Fraser, pastor, Morning service 11 o'clock, subject, "God's Ownership. Evening service, 7:30, subject, Christian Endeavorism; Its Work and Worth." A. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting.

Union Street Presbyterian Church—Dwight E. Potter, pastor, 11 a. m., communion and reception of members, 7:30 p. m., Miss E. A. Church, who is on her way to China, will speak.

CONGREGATIONAL.

First Congregational Church—Rev. C. R. Brown, pastor, Morning service, 11 o'clock, "The Song of Two Worlds." Evening service, 7:30 o'clock, "The Young Man's Choice of a Master."

Second Congregational Church—J. W. Phillips pastor, Morning at 11 a. m., Communion. At 7:45 p. m., subject, "Backbone of Character." At the evening service Mr. Willis Haynes who has recently returned from his studies in Italy will sing.

The pastor of the First Congregational Church, Rev. Charles R. Brown has announced a special series of five evening sermons on the theme "The Young Man's Choices." The topics will be "The Choice of a Master," "The Choice of Friends," "The Choice of a Vocation," "The Choice of Books," and "The Choice of a Wife." The sermons will be given on the first Sunday evenings of September, October, November, December and January.

METHODIST.

First M. E. Church—The pastor, Dr. E. R. Dille will preach, 11 a. m., "The Power of Service," 7:30 p. m., "The Power of Habit."

BAPTIST.

First Baptist Church, Rev. H. J. Vosburgh pastor—Morning service, 11 o'clock, subject: "Praying and Preaching." Evening, 7:30, "A Comprehensive View of Life."

EPISCOPAL.

St. Paul's Church, Rev. R. Ritchie—Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., Litany, sermon and Holy Communion, 11 a. m., Evening prayer (musical), 7:30 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENTIST.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, at Loring Hall, Sunday at 11 a. m., Subject: "Man." Evening service at 7:45 p. m.

Second Church of Christ, Scientist, at Loring Hall, southeast corner, Thirtieth avenue and East Sixteenth street—11 a. m., Christian Science Bible Lesson, Subject: "Man." Sunday School at three o'clock, Wednesday evening singing at 8 p. m. All are cordially invited.

CHRISTIAN.

First Christian Church, West near Twelfth, Frank Abram Powell, pastor—Morning subject: "God's Image Lost and Found." Evening: "A Tree by the River."

FIRST UNITARIAN.

First Unitarian Church, Benjamin Fay Mills, minister—10:45 A. M.: Mr. Mills will speak of "The Law of Psychic Phenomena." No evening service. Commence September 8th, Mr. Mills will deliver three Sunday morning sermons on the topic: Three Recent Religions. No. 1, September 8th, Modern Spiritualism; No. 2, September 15th, "Christian Science"; No. 3, Sept. 22nd, "Theosophy."

Y. M. C. A.

Y. M. C. A., Twelfth and Clay streets—At the men's meeting tomorrow afternoon at half past 8 o'clock, Rev. T. G. Brownson, president of the California College, will speak. Subject: "Lessons From the Life of Joseph." Mrs. Carrie Brown Dexter, who is well known to a large number of music lovers of this city, will sing. All men are invited to attend this meeting. The following, coming from the "Oakland Young Men" will be of interest to all who get to hear Dr. Brownson:

"Dr. Brownson, who is to speak next Sunday afternoon at the men's meeting, is a man of varied and extensive experience. As a young man ambitious to gain an education and fit himself for his chosen profession, he met many obstacles, and it was by hard work alone that he was able to overcome them. He is what many a truly said to be a 'self-made man.'"

SHERIDAN SAILS FOR THE PHILIPPINES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—The transport, Sheridan, sailed today for Manila via Honolulu and Guam. There are three hundred passengers, 4,000 tons of supplies and 2100 tons of coal. A number of those on board are school teachers, who will commence their duties in the Philippines. Many of the officers are aviators. There are also a number of veterinarians on board.

Among the prominent passengers are Surgeon General Frederick D. Grant, commanding the duty in the Philippines, and a number of aviators.

WILL DISMISS HER SUIT FOR A DIVORCE.

The suit of Bessie Tyler for a divorce from George W. Tyler, the Alameda florist, will probably be dismissed in a few days. Mutual friends have effected a reconciliation of the couple, and Mrs. Tyler has agreed not to prosecute the action. She charged her husband with extreme cruelty.

STOLE TEN THOUSAND FROM HIS EMPLOYERS.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 31.—Julius Van Steen, employed as cashier at the Procter and Vogel tinners, was arrested today on a warrant charging him with embezzling \$10,000 from his employers. Van Steen was taken into the District Court, pleaded guilty to the charge and was bound over for trial. An expert is now examining the books.

HOEY-GIVES BAIL.

NOVATO, Cal., Aug. 31.—United States Customs Collector Hoey charged a Chinaman with smuggling Chinese across the border from Mexico, furnished bonds and was released.

Steel Corporation Tries to Prevent a Strike at the Carnegie Mills.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 31.—The mills of the Carnegie Company at Duquesne were in operation this morning, notwithstanding the report of last night that the plant was badly crippled and would likely have to close down at 6 o'clock this morning. Last evening a committee of employers from the Open Hearth department notified the foreman not to re-charge the furnaces, as they were going out on strike this morning at the end of the turn.

The officials of the mill decided to make wholesale discharges in the effort to stay the tide of union sentiment. Thirty-one men were discharged, of whom eleven were escorted from the works by policemen. Seventy-five extra policemen were put on duty at Duquesne during the night and are there this morning.

The strikers claim that the strike is practically on and that the men are cleaning up, preparing to come out.

George Holloway, president of the Enterprise Lodge of the Amalgamated Association of McKeesport, who returned from Duquesne today, said that the day turn in the Open Hearth furnaces went on duty at 6 o'clock this morning and gave notice to the foreman that just as soon as the furnaces were emptied they were going out on strike. These furnaces were recharged at 11 o'clock last night and it requires about ten hours to empty them. Between 300 and 400 men are employed in this department.

Mr. Holloway expressed himself as confident that the entire plant would soon be closed. He said further that after they closed the Duquesne mill an effort would be made to get the men out of Homestead.

The shut-down of the Duquesne works would have a far-reaching effect, seriously crippling the American Tin Plate Company. When the Bellaire mills closed down the orders for plate bars were all transferred to Duquesne.

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took passenger train No. 2, which was just starting out from that station.

"In the collision Mr. P. T. Downs, assistant general superintendent in charge of lines west of Minot, North Dakota, was killed, together with his son, Kirk T. Downs, his cook, Henry Blair, and about twenty-five laborers, who were moving West in a coach attached to the rear of the train.

None of the regular passengers on the train were injured.

"The wreck took fire and the remains of all except five of the killed were burned. It is not, therefore, known positively how many fatalities resulted. In addition to those killed, twelve laborers and brakeman Burke were injured.

"Mr. Downs was born April 8, 1847, in Ireland. He entered railway service April 1, 1865, as a brakeman on a passenger train, Burlington branch of the Central Vermont Railroad.

"In 1886 he became master of trains on the Louisville Division of the Louisville & Nashville Road, then consisting of the main line of the Bardonia and Glasgow branches of the Knoxville Division and the Chesapeake & Ohio branch. May 1, 1888, to December 31, 1890, he was superintendent of the same division and branch, all on the Louisville & Nashville Railroad.

For a year ending April 30, 1891, he was train master of the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe Railroad. He was made superintendent of the Northern Division of this road on May 1, 1901.

"From May 17, 1893, to July 1, 1896, he was superintendent of transportation. He was made assistant general superintendent July 1, 1896, which he held for six months, when he was made assistant superintendent of the Atlanta & West Point Railway and the Western Railway of Alabama.

"In September, 1897, he was appointed superintendent of the same roads, which position he held until November, 1898.

"At this period he came to the Great Northern, being made assistant general superintendent December 1, 1899, for the Great Northern lines west of Minot, North Dakota.

His appointment as vice-president of the Spokane Falls Northern would have become effective tomorrow, September 1st."

WILL DISMISS HER SUIT FOR A DIVORCE.

The suit of Bessie Tyler for a divorce from George W. Tyler, the Alameda florist, will probably be dismissed in a few days. Mutual friends have effected a reconciliation of the couple, and Mrs. Tyler has agreed not to prosecute the action. She charged her husband with extreme cruelty.

STOLE TEN THOUSAND FROM HIS EMPLOYERS.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 31.—Julius Van Steen, employed as cashier at the Procter and Vogel tinners, was arrested today on a warrant charging him with embezzling \$10,000 from his employers. Van Steen was taken into the District Court, pleaded guilty to the charge and was bound over for trial. An expert is now examining the books.

HOEY-GIVES BAIL.

NOVATO, Cal., Aug. 31.—United States Customs Collector Hoey charged a Chinaman with smuggling Chinese across the border from Mexico, furnished bonds and was released.

SUES HER FATHER FOR HER MONEY.

Miss Elizabeth H. Hamilton has commenced suit against her father, W. T. Hamilton of Berkeley and his sureties, Louis Gottshall, and W. M. Kent, to recover \$628. In 1889 Miss Hamilton was left a legacy of \$331 by a relative, who died in the East. Her father was appointed her guardian and she alleges lost her money in a business venture.

Miss Hamilton recently became of age. When her father filed a final account of his guardianship, she made an objection to the item, stating that her money had been lost in a bad business venture. She has now brought suit to recover the original legacy with interest, making a total of \$928.

Miss Hamilton has not been residing at her father's home on account of an ill-feeling existing between her and her step-mother. She resides with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henderson. Hamilton claims that he has paid an equivalent of the legacy to his daughter by providing for her upkeep. Hamilton was formerly an undertaker in this city.

COLUMBIA WINS FROM CONSTITUTION

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elapsed time; four minutes and twenty-eight seconds, corrected time. Official time:

Yachts.	Start.	Finish.	Time.
Columbia	11:41:15	3:02:08	3:20:53
Constitution	11:42:00	3:06:01	3:24:01

Columbia wins by three minutes and eight seconds, elapsed time, and four minutes and nineteen seconds, corrected time.

BATEMAN'S POINT, R. I., Aug. 31.—After two months of hard preliminary racing, during which each boat has won the day, the Columbia and Constitution and Columbia will start this morning for the first series of trial races to determine which shall be the defender of the America's cup against Sir Thomas Lipton's Shamrock II.

Both left the harbor in the very best of condition. The Constitution is held to be the culmination of N. G. Herreshoff's experience in yacht-building and designing, and although handicapped throughout the season by mishaps and her apparent inability to find herself, she has shown herself a remarkably fast boat in light airs. The Columbia may be described as a perfectly balanced racing machine, on a boat well tried out, beyond the age of experiment, with a skipper and crew thoroughly acquainted with her every move, who worked together like a perfectly oiled machine.

The early morning was a beautiful one for racing. The air was clear and invigorating, the sky was spotlessly blue, while from the southeast a good "knot" breeze was blowing that gave every indication of increasing before 11:30 o'clock, the time set for the start.

After darks had been washed down, the working headsails of both yachts were sent up in slips and at 9 o'clock the two big mainsails went aloft. On the Constitution much care was taken in getting up this big piece of canvas and it was fully half an hour before it was gotten in place. The regatta committee went down to the yacht club about half past ten and announced that the yachts would be sent over a fifteen mile windward and leeward course, under the regular America's cup conditions, with the time limit at five hours and a half.

The starting gun was fired at 11:40.

HANDSOME PRESENT FOR POPULAR GEORGE E. GROSS.

Shortly after noon today, George Gross, assistant in the City Treasurer's office, bade good bye to the place and to its attaches as a bachelor and when next he enters it, he will have assumed the dignity and responsibility of a married man because he is to be married to Miss Ethel Gage, next Tuesday night.

The associates of the office bade Mr. Gross farewell, and by way of expressing their appreciation of the gentleman, bestowed upon him a bronze souvenir, fifteen inches in height. The piece is really a work of art, the subject being a beautiful maiden, resting gracefully against a wall and bearing in her hand a water urn.

The presentation speech was made by Ed S. Finch, chief deputy City Treasurer. Mr. Finch's effort was tender and eloquent and conducted to tears on the part of Mr. Gross, who was also gratified in his speech of acceptance. The accompanying card bore the following inscription:

"Presented to George E. Gross, with the congratulatory and best wishes of the poor unfortunate members of the Treasurer's office who are compelled by a cruel fate, to associate with him day after day."

BAPTIST PASTOR IS BACK FROM VACATION.

Rev. H. J. Vosburgh, the newly elected pastor of the First Baptist Church, returned today from a short visit to the Oakland. He will preach his first sermon as the fully ordained pastor of the First Baptist Church on Sunday next.

SUIT FOR DAMAGES IS SET FOR JURY TRIAL.

The \$20,000 damage suit of Julius Jacobs against the Southern Pacific Company has been set for a jury trial next Tuesday. Jacobs was struck by a train near Livermore about two years ago while driving a soda water wagon, and he claims, sustained permanent injuries.

SAMAR LAUNCHED ON WATER FRONT.

The four-masted schooner Samar was successfully launched today, shortly after noon, at Hay & Wright's ship yards, on the other side of the harbor. The boat is the property of Jackson & Co., and is 115 feet over all.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH.

The members of St. Patrick's parish, who have recently made the Jubilee in the parish church, are requested to assemble tomorrow evening in St. Patrick's Church, to listen to a sermon by the pastor, Rev. J. E. McNally, and to join in praise and thanksgiving. The services, which will be of a special order, will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

ELECTION AT FRUITVALE.

By a vote of 131 to 72, the citizens of the Fruitvale School District have decided to establish a High school in the district. The election was held yesterday.

HE DIED IN COUNTY JAIL.

Ned Dunnegan, aged 60 years, was taken into custody at Emeryville yesterday afternoon and taken to the County Jail to recover from the effects of an extended spree.

He was on the verge of delirium when arrested and died shortly after his arrival at the jail. As far as is known he had no relatives in this State.

YANKEE WINS GREAT RACE OF SEASON.

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one and it was decidedly an open race. In the report of private trials Flywheel and Yankee had been beaten only a head from J. E. Madden, so that his colors might be represented in the race, and many shrewd horsemen expect to see him close up at the finish. After a close study of the race about eight or ten horses stood out more prominently than the rest. These were William C. Whitney's Nasturtium, King Hanover and Goldsmith; J. E. Madden's Blue Girl, Yankee and Gunfire; Perry Belmont's Flywheel, Clarence H. Mackay's Heno, S. S. Brown's Hyphen and John Daly's Baron.

Among the remainder, however, were De Reszke, a colt of unquestioned class; James R. Keene's Port Royal; Luxcasta, who was beaten only a head in her first start; Goldsmith, and of consideration because of his fast other good ones. Heno is only worthy private trials. He has never faced the starter and this may prove a great handicap in a race of this kind. Hyphen is a fast, honest colt, but seems to be unlucky, something always seeming to beat him at the end. Baron ran a remarkably good race in his only start in the United States Hotel stakes at Saratoga. He was fourth to Masterman, Dixie Line and Caughnawaga, all heads apart. Still this is hardly good enough unless he has improved since then, which is quite probable. One of the most sure betters of the day, kept Yankee, but sold Flywheel and Heno. It is quite probable he retained what he considered the best.

The probable starters, jockeys and weights are as follows: De Reszke, 131; "King Hanover" (Cochran), 129; "Blue Girl" (Shaw), 129; Flywheel (Bullman), 129; "Nasturtium" (Turner), 122; Saturday (McClure), 119; "Yankee" (O'Connor), 119; Pentecost, (Brennan), 119; Carroll D. (Miles), 119; De Reszke (Althea), 117; "Gunfire" (Mounce), 114; Heno (Odum), 112; The Tailsman (L. Smith), 112; Baron (Wood), 112; Caughnawaga (McGinn), 112; Port Royal (Spencer), 112; Hyphen (Beauchamp), 112; Luxcasta (Fairgood), 109; Utopian, 122; Broad Street, 122; Homestead, 112; Sun Shower, 109.

Madden's stable, coupled in betting.

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE WILL ELECT PRESIDENT.

The Anti-Saloon League will hold a meeting on Tuesday for the purpose of electing a superintendent. The Rev. E. S. Chapman, who has been acting superintendent for some months, will in the future confine his work exclusively to Southern California, thus leaving the northern part of the State entirely without representation.

The Rev. J. R. Knobel has been offered the position, but prefers to remain with his church in Santa Clara.

COMMERCIAL HIGH WILL HAVE A PAPER.

The Alumni of the Commercial School intends publishing a paper shortly. The proposition has the endorsement of Principal P. M. Fisher.

At a meeting of the Alumni on Tuesday evening, the question of allowing the Association to be the publishers, was considered and referred to the Executive Committee for action. The paper is to be issued monthly.

HICKEY DECIDES NOT TO PLAY WITH DUDES.

Edward Hickey, the Eastern ball player who a few days ago accepted an offer to play with the Oakland team yesterday sent a telegram to Captain Lohman rescinding the contract. Lohman says he believes that Hickey decided to accept an offer with the Pittsburgh National League subsequently to his acceptance of his offer.

SUES BROTHERHOOD TO RECOVER MONEY DUE HIM.

A Pool, a railroad switchman, has filed suit against the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen to recover \$1,300 on an insurance policy. Pool was crushed and permanently injured, he claims, in 1899. He says he has demanded the payment of \$1,200 provided for trainmen, who are disabled or meet death, but the Brotherhood has failed to pay the policy.

EX-SHERIFF WHITE IS GIVEN A PENSION.

Calvin B. White, ex-Sheriff of this county, has been allowed a Government pension of \$4 a month.

SENATOR PERKINS IS GOING TO LAKE TAHOE

United States Senator George C. Perkins, with his son, Milton Perkins, will leave early next week for a trip of several weeks in the vicinity of Lake Tahoe. The Senator's health is not very good.

SUES THE BROTHERHOOD.

A Pool today filed suit against the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen to recover \$1,200 on account of alleged permanent injuries received while at work in the West Oakland yards as switchman in 1899.

ELECTION AT FRUITVALE.

By a vote of 131 to 72, the citizens of the Fruitvale School District have decided to establish a High school in the district. The election was held yesterday.

Saturday, August 31st

dinner sets at moderate prices

Many dinner sets have been sold this week and many new ones have come in to replace those gone. The prices on all are moderate, on some very low—low enough to mean a considerable saving to those who purchase now.

Asiatic pheasant pattern in Tunstall blue—112 pieces—	\$10.00
poppy pattern in red, blue, brown, and green—100 pieces—	\$13.50
English porcelain—special	\$16.50
same sets—with gilt decorations	\$15.00
floral and scroll patterns in flowing blue—115 pieces—best	\$25.00
English porcelain—regularly \$20.00—special price	\$25.00
green orchid, primrose and yellow aster patterns—100 pieces	
—full dinner set—Limoges French china—special price	\$25.00

other specials

candlesticks—24 karat gilt candle sticks—slightly imperfect—reduced from \$1.25 to	each \$1.00
hock glasses—Bohemian glass—amber—formerly \$4.50—reduced to	per dozen \$3.00

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Or, D. W. HITCHCOCK, Gen. Agt. U. P. R., 1 Montgomery Street, San Francisco.

H. P. THRALL GOES TO THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—News from the East has reached here that Herbert P. Thrall, superintendent of the eighth division of the railway mail service, has been offered the position of superintendent of mail contracts for the Southern Pacific and Union Pacific Railway companies.

SHAW'S APPOINTMENT.

The certificate of appointment of Geo. M. Shaw, Deputy City Attorney, has been filed with City Clerk Rodger.

SHERIFF'S AUCTION.

On September 2, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M., without reserve, I will sell all bicycles, sundries and tools in the Orient Cycles, corner Seventeenth street and Telegraph avenue. OSCAR ROGERS, Sheriff.

BAGGAGE NOTICE.

The Teamsters' Union has allowed our check wagon to resume business. We will transfer baggage to trains and San Francisco as in the past. PEOPLE'S EXPRESS CO., 412-418 Ninth Street.

C. W. Kinsey, Dealer in New Style Household Furniture, Carpets, Ranges, Etc.

Modern Furniture bought, exchanged or sold on installment payments. Cash discount 10 per cent from installment prices. 462-464 Thirteenth Street, Oakland.

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CREMATION.

The Odd Fellows' Cemetery, Association, Point Lobos Ave., S. F., Cal.

The ordinance prohibiting burials in San Francisco after the first day of August, 1901, does not refer to CREMATION. Neither does it affect the COLUMBIAN, because there is nothing less harmful to the living than the ashes of the dead. Permits to cremate will be issued by the Board of Health the same as heretofore. GEORGE R. FLETCHER, Manager.

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Between Broadway and Washington.

PLANS ARE MADE FOR LABOR DAY.

UNIONS ARE TOLD WHERE
THEY CAN GET INTO
LINE.

An Interesting Program Will Be
Carried Out on
Monday.

The Labor Day Parade Committee has issued the following circular:
LABOR DAY PARADE.
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1901.
Formation and Line of March.

Police.

Grand Marshal C. L. E. Wenk and Aides.

First Division.

Alameda County District Council United Brotherhood Carpenters and Joiners of America.

Oakland Union No. 36, U. B. C. J. A.

Alameda Union No. 194, U. B. C. J. A.

Millmen's Union No. 550, U. B. C. J. A.

Stair Builders' Union No. 616, U. B. C. J. A.

Second Division.

Marshall Geo. E. Manes and Aides.

Band.

Delegates to Federated Trades Council.

Painters' Union No. 127.

Lathers' Union.

Cigarmakers' Union.

Butchers' Union.

Third Division.

Marshall M. A. McAnnis and Aides.

Band.

Typographical Union.

Pressmen's Union.

Stationary Engineers' Union.

Machinists' Union.

Cooks' and Waiters' Union.

Fourth Division.

Marshall G. J. Smith and Aides.

Band.

Barbers' Union.

Laundry Workers' Union.

Retail Clerks' Union.

Fifth Division.

Marshall C. J. Twomey and Aides.

Band.

Teamsters' Union.

Flour and Feed Mill Operatives' Union.

Freight Handlers' Union.

Longshoremen's Union.

Miscellaneous Unions.

Carpenters will form on second street west of Broadway.

Federated Trades Council, Painters, Lathers, Cigarmakers and Butchers' float on Second street east of Broadway.

Typographical Union, Pressmen, Engineers, Machinists, Cooks and Waiters' float on Third street west of Broadway.

Barbers, Laundry Workers and Retail Clerks on Third street east of Broadway.

Teamsters and Flour and Feed Mill Operatives on Fourth street west of Broadway.

The formation must take place not later than 9:30. The parade will move at 10 a. m. sharp. The line of march will be up Broadway to Eighth, to Washington, to Fourteenth, to San Pablo to Eighteenth, to Telegraph, to Broadway, to Seventh, and counter-march to Fifteenth and disband.

A feature of the parade will be floats representing different industries. The Engineers will have a banner with an inscription announcing that they will insist upon a law being passed licensing engineers as a protection to the lives of workmen in establishments where stationary engines and boilers are used.

APPLIES FOR LETTERS ON
D. MCARTHY'S ESTATE.

Peter L. O'Connor has applied for letters of administration on the \$1,400 estate of Dennis McCarthy, who died August 26th. The only heir is a brother, Eugene McCarthy.

ENDEAVORERS IN THE LORD'S WORK

Effort and Enthusiasm Shown in
All the Leading County
Unions.

Communications for this column should reach Miss May B. Cruff, 1122 East Nineteenth street, Oakland, not later than Thursday morning.

The semi-annual election of Alameda County Peoples' Christian Union was held in the Christian Church Tuesday evening, August 13th. The following were elected President, P. W. Thompson of Christian Church; Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Elizabeth Arnold of the First Presbyterian Church.

The regular union quarterly prayer-meeting of the Alameda Y. P. C. Union was held in the First Congregational Church last Sunday evening at 5:45 p. m. John Scudder of the Congregational C. E. Society led the meeting, subject "Daily Prayer." These union meetings have been of much benefit to all the societies in Alameda county.

The Temperance Committee of the County C. E. Union is preparing for aggressive work which is to extend to all parts of the county. It will be necessary to arouse an interest in this line of work in the individual societies before much can be done as a whole. The committee has held several meetings to outline the work. September 22 is the date set for Union temperance rallies to be held in various parts of the county. Reports of the same will be given in the next number of the Pacific Christian Endeavorer.

A "Character" social was given by the Christian Endeavorers of Pilgrim Congregational Church last Friday evening. Each person present represented some well-known character from history or fiction, either by dress, manner or object. Accordingly, "Evangeline," "Becky Sharp," the "Lady in White," "Lincoln," "Stella," "Babbie," "Rose in Bloom," "Topsy," "Mrs. Ruggles, and Her Family," "Marguerite," "Uriah Heep," "Katrina," "Betsey Bobbit," and many others spent a pleasant evening together. "Katrina," a Dutch peasant maid, comedically told of her first visit to New York. Other recitations and games entertained the young people during the evening. The best sustained character received a box of candy. The Social Committee served cake and lemonade.

The Christian Endeavorers of Pilgrim Congregational Church had charge of the regular mid-week prayer meeting August 28. During the absence of the pastor, different lay members have led the meetings. The evening in question was the young people's opportunity for service. They had a good meeting, in which old and young took part.

All of the Christian Endeavorer Societies of Mizpah Union were visited on Sunday last by Oakland Endeavorers.

Inviting, Warm Springs and Centerville societies enjoyed a visit from State President Rodgers and County President Du Mars and very profitable meetings were held at each place.

Niles and Newark were supplied by three Endeavorers from Centennial Presbyterian Church, West Oakland.

The meeting of the Niles society was led by Miss Cornwall; and at Newark it was John W. Berger who supplied the pulpit both morning and evening. The Mizpah Union Endeavorers welcomed their guests at each place and the visits were mutually enjoyable.

SHE IS DECLARED TO
BE DEAD BY LAW.

Judge Ogden has handed down a decree determining that Margaret A. Bittleson is legally dead, and vesting a homestead on Park avenue, near San Jose avenue, Alameda, in George Bittleson, the husband.

Ladies! Ladies!

When you require the services of a first-class ladies' hair dresser see Mrs. Virginia Diehl at her parlors, 723 Fourteenth street. She also does manicuring and sells hair goods, cosmetics and perfumes. Phone 276 Pine.

FEW POINTERS FOR FARMERS OF THE COUNTY.

PEACHES OF A HIGH GRADE
ARE WANTED BY THE
CANNERIES.

The Situation Regarding the New
Prune Crop Seems De-
cidedly Mixed.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—FRESH FRUITS—Fruit receipts have been liberal and the market is now somewhat over-supplied. A lively business in progress today on account of the holiday Monday. As for several weeks past clingstone peaches of high grade are in active demand by the canneries. Some have sold here lately as high as \$50 per ton and possibly a little higher. Free-stone peaches have ranged as high as \$25 per ton. Bartlett pears seem to be slightly weaker. Other fruits are practically the same as during the past week. There is considerable doubt as to prices for grapes in bulk. Wine men claim that quoted prices for Zinfandel wine grapes are not realized. As yet no large contracts seem to have been closed.

DRIED FRUITS—The prune situation as far as the new crop is concerned seems decidedly mixed. Some of this year's crop are on the market here. San Francisco talk for prices seems to be 3 1/2 to 4 cents. Evaporated apples have responded to the advance in New York, and are now quoted at 1/2 cent higher. The export business seems to be quiet in nearly all lines. A report from New York states that association raisins will be offered there at 1 cent per pound less than last year. A sale of extra choice Mair San Joaquin Valley peaches has been closed at 7 cents f. o. b. shipping point.

CANNED FRUITS—Notwithstanding the light export demand for California canned fruits, the situation seems to be somewhat firmer. Independent canners have advanced prices on peaches and pears from 5 to 10 cents. The association prices are unchanged, but the association is no longer confirming orders. It is not seeking business at the opening prices.

NUTS—Chile walnuts are selling on this market at 5 cents. The price on the new California crop has not yet been made, but the talk is 12 cents. Tomorrow the Contra Costa Almond Growers' Association will open the second set of bids. There is nothing new in the peanut market. Opening prices are expected for walnuts in about two weeks. New imported Jordan almonds are quoted at 30 cents in New York.

VEGETABLES—Potatoes are still going higher. Some sales of river burbancks are reported at \$1.50. The onion market is firm and prices are expected to go higher.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—The butter market is weaker and stocks of the poorer grades are accumulating. The price for cheese is still maintained, though the large stocks now on hand may force a decline within a day or two.

BEANS—The bean harvest has opened in the Sacramento valley. Sales of new Lady Washingtons are reported at \$2.50. Old crop Lady Washingtons are held at \$1. Stocks of old, now on hand, are chiefly Lady Washingtons and pinks.

CONFIRMED THE SALE
MADE IN BADGER ESTATE.

Judge Melvin has confirmed the sale of realty belonging to the estate of Jane A. Badger, deceased, to the Oakland Bank of Savings for \$500.

GRANTED LETTERS ON THE
ESTATE OF HENRY MADDERN.

Melissa O. Maddern has been granted letters of administration on the \$4,063 estate of Henry Maddern, deceased, with bond fixed at \$1,500.

JOHN H. COOPER WILL
MANAGE THE ESTATE.

John H. Cooper has been appointed administrator of the estate of Hattie B. Cooper, deceased, with bonds fixed at \$500.

NEW NAME IS SUGGESTED FOR THE AVENUE.

WILL WALLACE GIVES HIS
VIEWS ABOUT RENAM-
ING THE STREETS.

Does Not Like the Idea of Chang-
ing Names of Thorough-
fares.

Editor Tribune: My home for nearly forty consecutive years has fronted upon "Telegraph avenue," as we now know it—though it was once called "the Telegraph road," and during that time, as boy and man, I have travelled over its pavements, such as they have been, rather more than fifty thousand miles! May I not, then, consider myself as somewhat "identified," as the phrase goes, with that thoroughfare and entitled to be heard when it is mooted, at present, the question of renaming it?

The chance-given name, "Telegraph avenue" is, it must be conceded so lacking in distinctive quality that, as applied to a city street, it is scarcely a "name" at all. It conveys about as little of the sense of particular identity as the name Hugh Jones is said to do in Wales; and the temptation to change it is doubtless strong in everyone who feels that a street bears a sort of personality, of which it imparts an elusive something, not only to the dwelling places among which it leads, but to the dwellers themselves therein.

I am far from being an admirer of the French fashion of renaming streets and public places to suit the political complexion of the hour; in commemoration of passing events; or in honor of new, popular heroes. These United States are even now suffering from the first fruits of a similar fad. Since the war with Spain our cities and towns have been Hobson-ized, Shafter-ized, and Dewey-ized, ad nauseam; nor has our own fair city escaped the general affliction. One cannot turn a corner out in my neighborhood without encountering some "hero" or other of our recent skirmish; while the former distinctive names of the cross-town streets have all been swept away at one fell swoop, to be replaced by a labyrinthine jumble of disconnected numerals. That Telegraph avenue did not get a new name at the same time gives cause for joy as well as wonder: for it would have been called, if not for Roosevelt, surely for Schley or Santiago!

But streets, like mountains and rivers, ought to be considered as geographical features, to be appropriately named once and for all time, as well for the convenience of contemporary humanity, as that men of future ages may find the precise landmarks by which to trace the course of civilization, or it may be, of larger matters of history. It is unfortunate that streets, like people, should require names in their infancy, before the character which they are to bear or the prominence to which they are to attain can be so gauged as to guide their sponsors to the selection of titles to fit their destined individualities. Many a thoroughfare, great and grand to those who have seen and traversed it, cuts but a shabby figure in the mental view of a stranger who knows it only by its name; vice versa, many a narrow, dingy passage has been carelessly granted a designation whose resonant syllables inspire respect, and ideas of magnitude and beauty. In illustration, it is not Market, but Montgomery street that is imagined by most strangers to San Francisco (certainly by nearly all Europeans who have heard of, but not seen the city), to be the chief thoroughfare of the Western metropolis. Those who reside on Northumberland avenue are naturally the social superiors of those who live in Petticoat Lane.

It is seldom, indeed, that the duty of naming a well-grown adult street or avenue falls legitimately upon the people of the community. And when it does they ought for their own credit to proceed with as much circumspection as does the Court which has the power, upon good cause shown, to grant a new name to an adult citizen. With more, for it is left to their own judgment to choose the name, and they should select one so suitable and so durable that the temptation to change it again may never arise. What is or is not suitable is of course a matter of taste; but taste, or what is called "good taste," has its criteria and its limitations and can be reasonably well predicted from the circumstances. In the present instance we have before us a great, broad thoroughfare, miles in length and destined to be one of the great arteries of a great city; of a city which will invite and reciprocate the commerce of all lands and peoples, and whose names of whose principal thoroughfares will become known even familiarly in every important mart and seaport of the world. But this thoroughfare will be more than a highway of traffic. It will also become a classic avenue by which students and men of science will pass to and from one of the world's greatest seats of learning. It will become a feature of the city of which the citizens will be proud. Therefore if we would truly rise to the occasion we have a complex problem to solve. We need to find a name that will be at once familiar enough, dignified enough, significant enough and euphonious enough to be recognized even by far away outlanders, as the name of such a street as we have described. I say that we need to find such a name, but we need not for it.

It may seem surprising to some, but it really is not strange to me for some

Our Working Girls.

Life to the most favored is not always full of sunshine, but to the average American girl or woman who is obliged to work for her living, and, perhaps to help others at home, life is often a heavy drag in consequence of illness.

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faintness, weakness, loss of appetite and sleep. The young lady whose portrait we publish herewith had all these symptoms, and in addition leucorrhoea, and was cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. First, she wrote a letter to Mrs. Pinkham's laboratory at Lynn, Mass., describing her trouble, received in reply accurate instructions what to do to get well, and now wishes her name used to convince others that they may be cured as she was.

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30 years or so, one half of our otherwise so badly mis-called thoroughfare, has borne the very designation most appropriate, most singularly suitable to the splendid avenue, which it is, in its entirety to become. It is really not strange, because the name was selected and conferred by those same wise choosers of the University's site. Whose authoritative "taste" has received such unanimous vindication.

And it is a name familiar enough for it is a household word wherever books of travel are read or any of the natural sciences are fostered; it is dignified, for its owner was one of the greatest of the world's intelligent giants; a statesman and the friend of kings, yet one who, as the encyclopedias say, "contributed more than any other man of modern times to progress in several departments of natural science."

It is significant enough, because it needs neither prefix nor suffix to identify it as a "world-name," like those of Gallie and Columbus, of Shakespeare and Washington, which stand as colossal milestones along the great highway of human advancement; it is euphonious enough, because it is spelled "Humboldt." Who does not know and honor that majestic name? What name can be as appropriate as that of the great cosmopolite, who to begin his career entered a mercantile house and mastered all the intricacies of trade and foreign commerce; who learned many languages and spoke them in all parts of the world; who spent many years as an explorer in the then unknown interior regions of South and Central America, of Mexico and of Central Asia, making observations and discoveries in all the fields of science, which form an important part of all we know today; who wrote great works on geography, geology, meteorology, botany, zoology, anatomy, physiology, archaeology, political economy and other sciences, which were the amazement and delight of scholars; who won recognition as a statesman and political economist, and was the confidential adviser of his king and the intimate associate of Goethe and Schiller; who received more honors and decorations than any other man of his time; who, after the age of seventy, undertook and completed what is perhaps the most monumental compendium of scientific knowledge ever produced by one man (his "Cosmos") and who, living hale and hearty to the ripe age of ninety, died within the present recollection of most, at about the very time when this avenue of ours had its beginning. Could the local authorities of those days have had a premonition of the future, would they not then have named the infant thoroughfare as we should name it now.

The proposal to change the name, comes coupled, as I am aware, with the suggestion of another name, and one already dear to science and doubly dear to all who, like myself, have it inscribed on valued diplomas of learning; but here again, as it appears to me, "good taste" presents counter-claims upon our consideration, which deserve to be duly weighed, for even "one star differeth from another star, in glory."

To me, it seems that the name and memory of our lately deceased friend and teacher would be much more fittingly commemorated by calling for the university town itself—perhaps one of those to be created as a part of the new plans—at any rate a quiet, "thoughtful" street used and occupied chiefly by those closely connected with the academic life which was his, and as little concerned with or characterized by the strenuous insistence, and harsh uproar of traffic, as was his own nature and habit. He, himself, was not "at home" amidst "the maddening crowd's ignoble strife," and it would seem particularly inconsistent, indeed, to affix his name, of all others, to a hurrying business thoroughfare. Should some major avenue be required, to receive the proposed honor, Berkeley has two great streets whose present names, "University" and "College," are surely tautologous in a university town, where by natural implication every street has to do with the University and its colleges. Either of these could be re-named with great propriety, and either would support with adequate dignity even the respected name of Le Conte.

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Growth of Oakland and Suburbs.	1890	1900
Residents of		
Oakland	48,882	65,950
Alameda	11,165	15,464
Berkeley	5,101	13,214
Fruitvale, etc.	3,108	8,168
Emeryville	228	1,016
	68,284	105,822

Population of Alameda County.
In 1890 93,864
In 1900 130,197

AMUSEMENTS.

Dewey-Sapho.
Columbia—"Wheels Within Wheels."
Alcazar—"Romance and Jellie."
Tivoli—"The Two Orphans."
Grand Opera House—"Lord and Lady Algy."
California—"Rosemary."
Orpheo—"Specialties."

State Fair and Exposition, Sacramento—Sept. 2 to 14.

Picnics at Shell Mound Park.

Sept. 1—San Francisco Schuetzen Verein.
Sept. 2—Federated Trades of California.
Sept. 3—Nord Deutscher Verein, to 11 P. M.
Sept. 4—St. Rose's Parish.

SATURDAY.....AUGUST 31, 1901.

A LOGICAL MOVE.

The telegraphic announcement that the Santa Fe has decided to divert its ocean business from San Diego to San Francisco should create no surprise. It naturally comes as a crushing blow to the southern city that has so long cherished the hope that it would some day be a port of call rivaling even the metropolis, for, with the withdrawal of the Santa Fe all the plans made in connection with the Oriental business will naturally fall through.

Admiral though San Diego's harbor may be from a maritime standpoint, it cannot be said to be in the same class with the Bay of San Francisco. Business always follows the best beaten path and a glance at the location of San Francisco as compared with San Diego conclusively shows the situation. San Diego is at the extreme southern end of the State and its sole business reliance is what lies to the north. South is Mexico, unproductive and unproductive, and judging by the agricultural conditions prevailing immediately over the frontier, centuries will elapse before it takes a stand as a thriving community. As a matter of fact, even its State surroundings are none too promising to San Diego, for there is a dearth of productive "back country" to provide feeders and create business conditions. The deserts of Arizona are not far away, and outside of a few fertile valleys through San Diego county itself there is little to warrant the creation of a metropolis.

As against this stands San Francisco, directly on the main highway of commerce rich in destiny and flanked on all sides by trade-creating conditions. The acknowledged center of business for the nation is Chicago, for the city passes the principal stream of commerce and by means of thousands of railroads it gathers in most of the surrounding trade and sends it on towards the Pacific. When, therefore, it is remembered that San Francisco is 200 miles from Chicago than San Diego it is plain that that fact becomes all important in the conducting of ocean-carrying trade and taken in connection with the other conditions handicapping the southern city out of the race altogether. We are sorry for our San Diego friends, but all things considered, we must agree that the Santa Fe's move is thoroughly justified by the existing circumstances.

The Judge Advocate of the Schley-Sampson investigation is trying to locate the sailor who steered the Texas at the battle of Santiago. In view of the charges that are passing between the two admirals the mariner in question is doubtlessly keeping out of the way in order to avoid facing the allegation of being a bunco steerer.

Lumber mills are closing down in the northern counties as a result of the big strike across the bay. These labor disturbances will therefore leave lots of people without board in more ways than one.

Many of the strikers are putting in their time picking hops. Their efforts will therefore brew something else besides trouble.

FOREST REFORM.

While it savors of harping on an overplayed string to again discuss the necessity of forest preservation in California, the fact that the only way to bring about a reform of this kind is to keep the issue continually before the people warrants any demand that may be made upon the time. The convention of the American Forestry Association now being held in Colorado is working over the ground again, and although examination of the proceedings develops nothing particularly new, some of the papers read bring out the points involved in an interesting way.

For example, George H. Maxwell of Chicago, one of the most ardent irrigationists in the country pictures the situation in the following dramatic way: "Famine stalks through the land because of deforestation; floods devastate China for the same reason. Look at Northern Africa, at Persia, at Mesopotamia, at Transcaucasia, and heed their warning. Once fertile, now arid, uninhabitable wastes, they stand as a warning that we should heed. Will we do so, or will we go on wasting millions while we watch our forest areas gradually destroyed."

The dangers attending procrastination have been pointed out repeatedly in California, notably so at the time of the forest and water movement a couple of years ago, when the proposition was advanced to meet the situation by the issuance of bonds. Upon that occasion W. H. Mills secured a number of photographs in the forest sections of the State, showing how, what were valuable stretches of timber twelve years ago, are now wastes dotted with blackened stumps, presenting a scene of desolation. The evils of this sort of thing, too, are so numerous that it seems strange that sane citizens should sit willingly by and watch these sources of wealth irretrievably ruined, especially so as the losses affect the most vital interests of the State. Not alone do we lose the timbered treasures of the forests, but with their removal comes climatic changes that produce drought and thereby endangers agriculture in every form. It has been conclusively proved that the atmospheric effect of the felling of forests is to cause less rain and dew, so if the fountain-heads of our streams and water supplies are to be dried up in this manner, most damaging results are bound to come not only to that particular section, but to the countryside in general.

This is the way out of the difficulty as shown by those who have studied the subject: The absolute prohibition of grazing except within fenced areas, the employment of rangers to guard against fires, and the inauguration of improved methods of lumbering.

All the gambling records are said to have been broken by the play on the Deutschland that arrived at New York yesterday. Gambling at sea for big stakes is but natural, for where else would high rollers be more likely to be found.

Ex-Empress Frederick of Germany, who died the other day, left an estate of 11,000,000 marks. As death is said to love a shining mark, there were exceptional reasons why she should be called away.

Pumping has been resumed in the oil districts as a result of the upward tendency of prices. They will have a little more use now for the many suckers the operators have on hand.

A Sacramento pastor has attached his church in order to secure his salary. He evidently believes in putting his trust in the Sheriff's office rather than where he preaches it ought to be.

W. C. Whitney says that he is out of politics. That's true enough; he has always stood pat with the Cleveland wing of the party, and that was put out of the business long ago.

California commandery of Masons has covered itself with glory at the national drill at Louisville by carrying off the first prize for a mounted exhibition. It was the only competitor.

The new State gardener at Sacramento weighs 306 pounds. He ought to be able to hold down his job.

DISPUTED TITLE IS SETTLED BY COURT.

In the action of Philip Fliess against S. Joseph Theisen, as trustee in bankruptcy of the estate of Joseph Altschul, Judge Hall has rendered judgment for the plaintiff, quieting title to 200 acres of land in Murray Township.

HELD TO ANSWER.

Fred H. Scott, the colored porter, was held to answer to the Superior Court by Judge Smith in the Police Court on a charge of assault to murder. Bail was placed at \$2,500.

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Commencing next Monday a new system of freight demurrage will be inaugurated on the Pacific System of the Southern Pacific Company and all other railroads of importance on the Pacific Slope.

Heretofore demurrage has been collected by the agents at the stations of the various railroad companies. According to the plan now adopted by the railroad companies all demurrage will be collected through the agents of the Pacific Car Service Bureau, which is under the general management of E. B. Rice.

The effect of this change will be a more energetic and systematized collection of demurrage. It will eliminate the possibility of agents favoring certain shippers by not enforcing the regulations in regard to demurrage. Under the management of the Car Service Bureau all demurrage will be collected without regard to who the shipper or consignee may be. This will greatly expedite the handling of freight particularly in regard to the loading and unloading of cars. It will do away with the handling of cars on private tracks for indefinite periods while they are being loaded or unloaded. The rolling stock of the company will thus be kept moving and the scarcity of cars that has been so troublesome in the past will be in a great measure lessened.

General Manager Mole of the Pacific Car Service has issued pamphlets giving the rules and regulations under which the new system of demurrage will be enforced. Among the general provisions are the following:

Shippers will be allowed 48 hours in which to load or unload all car loads of freight, excepting coke, coal and asphaltum, which will be allowed 72 hours. Consigners and shippers will be notified as soon as freight arrives for them. The time for loading or unloading freight will be computed from 6 o'clock p. m. of the day on which the freight arrives. For each day, or fraction of a day, that cars are held beyond the allowance granted a demurrage of \$1 will be charged. In the case of tank cars the demurrage will be \$2 a day.

It is also provided that if shippers have their private tracks blocked with cars so that other cars cannot be delivered, it will be considered that the cars were delivered at the time they could have been delivered if the tracks were not blocked. An allowance of 24 hours will be made in cases where lines are unable through press of business or other causes, to deliver cars. If cars are held for inspection or repairs while in transit an allowance of 48 hours will be made.

No demurrage will be charged on company freight or live stock. Private cars may be held on private tracks without demurrage, but they will be charged the same as other cars if they are held on public tracks.

Agents are instructed not to accept any cars of freight that are not properly billed. If cars are held awaiting instructions or billing information, 48 hours will be allowed. Agents are instructed not to deliver cars until the demurrage is paid. In the case of a shipper refusing to pay, or unnecessarily delaying payment, the freight consigned to him may be held until he does pay, or it may be sent to a public storage house. No freight will be delivered to owners of private tracks who have refused to pay demurrage. Their freight will be delivered on public tracks only, after all charges are paid. In computing demurrage Sundays and holidays will be excepted.

The new demurrage system will be enforced at all stations of the Southern Pacific Company in California, Arizona, New Mexico, Nevada and Utah, west of Corinne. Most of the leading shippers have been notified of the pending change.

The railroad companies that will be affected by the new system are as follows: Southern Pacific Company, Santa Fe Pacific Railroad, Southern California Railway, San Francisco and San Joaquin Valley Railway, Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, Randeburg Railway, California Eastern Railway Company, Alameda and San Joaquin Railroad, Santa Fe, Prescott and Phoenix Railway Company, Sierra Railway Company of California, and Calveopa, Phoenix and Salt River Railroad.

It is expected that the general system of demurrage will be of much benefit to all of the railroad companies that are members of the Bureau.

NOTES AND PERSONALS ABOUT RAILROAD MEN.

Superintendent James Agler, Master Car Repairer H. Englebright, and Thomas Ahern of the Maintenance of Way Department, left Thursday for an inspection of the division. They will return this evening.

General Foreman D. P. Kellogg of the round house and machine shops has gone to Utah for a two weeks' vacation.

E. M. Dickerman, general inspector of car works of the Pacific system, has been inspecting the shops at West Oakland.

W. C. Fitch, master car painter at Sacramento, has been visiting at West Oakland. He will leave for the East soon to attend the annual convention of master car and locomotive painters to be held next month at Buffalo.

G. W. Lytle has been transferred from the West Oakland car shops to Sacramento.

Mrs. Tevis' private car Santa Media, is in the West Oakland yards for repairs. It is an elegantly finished car. Engine 1323 was turned out of the

AT BED TIME

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ing delivery in San Francisco reached about 500. On Thursday the number was about 425. Yesterday the number had been up to about 350. The number of held cars varies however, as the trains arrive. After a number of trains have arrived close together, the congestion of cars is considerable. This is relieved as fast as the cars can be taken on the boats to San Francisco.

MANY EXTRA TRAINS ARE BEING SENT OUT.

Since the rush in freight traffic commenced it has become necessary to put on several extra trains to handle the business. These trains are made up of freight that cannot be taken on regular trains and of empty cars that are sent to various destinations to be loaded. On some days it has been found necessary to send out as many as seven extras in one day. Six were sent out yesterday.

Both local and Eastern freight is heavy. There is no special shipments of any particular kind of freight, but there has been a general increase in all kinds. Shipments from San Francisco to Eastern points is very heavy. Local fruit is also being shipped in large quantities, notwithstanding the fact that many of the growers have been drying their fruits because of lack of shipping facilities. Grain from the interior of the State is arriving in large quantities. Much of it is consigned to the Howard Company, which reships to various points.

VESSELS AT LONG WHARF ARE ACTIVE.

Much business is being done at Long Wharf. The docks are all filled with vessels discharging cargoes, while other vessels are lying in the stream waiting for berths.

Sugar shipments are heavy, two vessels being worked all the time. During the last week the sugar ships Andrew Welch, Allen A. Mohican and Olga finished discharging their cargoes. The Tillie E. Starbuck and the Charles E. Moody are now working.

The ship King Edward has been discharging coke.

The Point Arena has been discharging lumber.

The Menalope has been discharging coke.

The Sonora has been discharging lumber.

The British ship Tolatta is docked with a cargo of coke.

The Corinthian has been discharging lumber.

The steamer Belgian King has docked to take on a cargo of barley for Europe.

The Harlech Castle has arrived with a cargo of window glass from Antwerp.

The bark Oregon is taking on a cargo of lumber for Australia.

SHOP EMPLOYEES TO MEET ON DIAMOND.

Tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock the machinists and the boiler-makers of the West Oakland Shops will play a game of baseball at Nineteenth and Peralta streets. The machinists' team is called the "Sunset Limited." The line-up of the two teams will be as follows:

Machinists—A. Anderson, catcher; B. Parker, pitcher; L. J. Sterling, first base; J. J. Dignan (Capt.) second base; James Reed, third base; Gus Muller, shortstop; Charles Derby, rightfield; John Newell, leftfield; Lloyd Lyver, centerfield.

Boiler-makers—Robert Waters, Catcher; Peter Brown, pitcher; Tom Gaines, first base; Andy Waters, second base; C. Cooper (Capt.), third base; L. Haynes, shortstop; M. Perry, rightfield; F. Holland, leftfield; T. Bendixon, centerfield.

Joe Eivens, Joe Duckworth and Harry Carman will substitute for the machinists. Bob Kennedy will substitute for the boiler-makers. Harry Connors is the machinists' mascot.

TO BE ORGANIZED.

A brass band is being organized among the machinists at West Oakland. C. H. Milner, who is a member of the Fifth Regiment Band, will probably act as director. A meeting is to be held next Wednesday evening at the home of Charles Mallett, Eighth and Peralta streets, to perfect an organization. Thus far several of the machinists have signified their willingness to become members of the band.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Harry Dale Danforth, Oakland.....26
Eva Mae Reed, Oakland.....25
George Pollitt, Oakland.....23
Florence B. Adelaide Uglow, Vir-
ginia City, Nev.....23
Charles De Witt Dudley, San Fran-
cisco.....28
Margaret Henderson, Oakland.....21
Jake W. Lesh, Oakland.....27
Hilda C. Thomson, Oakland.....26
George Andrew Lesh, S. F.....29
Annie Walters, S. F.....22

CASE SUBMITTED.

The suit of the Sunshine Water Heater Company to recover \$5,000 from W. H. Weibye for a patent was argued and submitted before Judge Ellsworth today.

MARRIED BY JUSTICE.

George Andrew McNeil, aged 29, and Annie Walters, aged 22, were married at the County Clerk's office yesterday afternoon by Justice Larue.

DIVORCE CASE REFERRED.

The divorce case of Aurelia Rose Cooper against F. P. Cooper has been referred to the Court Commissioner to take testimony.

SUIT TO FORECLOSE.

Annie E. Coffin has commenced suit against H. E. Robins to foreclose a mortgage of \$250.

DEER HUNTERS RETURN.

B. H. Swan, Marion Horton and Louis Burns have returned from a fifteen days' hunting trip on Eel river,

shops this week, after having been thoroughly overhauled and repaired. Engines 2133, 1435, 1282, 1436, 1023 and 1205 are now in the shops.

Will Lancaster of the Oakland Iron Works went to work in the West Oakland machine shops this week.

Charles Gibson had his foot injured this week by having a heavy piece of iron fall on him.

The fire that threatened much damage to a large coal pile in the yards last week was extinguished without a great deal of loss. The middle of the pile was loaded into cars and hauled away, thus preventing the fire from spreading.

Patsy Connolly has returned from a three weeks' vacation at Los Angeles. A. Lighner has been transferred to Foreman Hall's department of the machine shops.

Mike O'Leary was off duty yesterday. Thomas Cullen has been off duty a few days on account of illness. He is being replaced by Charles Rastall.

Joe Bivens has returned to work after a brief illness.

Harry Carman has returned from a two weeks' vacation in Humboldt county.

Robert Abernathy is off duty on account of illness.

James Yost will be off duty tomorrow. He will be relieved by Charles Milner.

E. J. Heaney has gone to Los Angeles for a two weeks vacation.

Horace Crocker of the machine shops will take some horses to Sacramento to race at the State Fair.

Telegraph Operator George Cooley, who has been at Benicia the last two months, has been transferred to the night shift at Elmira. Operator Nichols of the Oregon line has been assigned to Benicia.

C. Van, night operator at Port Costa, has been transferred to Vallejo Junction.

Operator J. P. Heaney has been assigned to Fort Costa.

E. L. Bravely, dispatcher at Bakersfield, has been transferred to the Oakland Pier.

F. E. Lamphere of Davis has returned from a month's vacation at Shasta Springs.

F. J. Clifford, clerk in Master Car Repairer H. Englebright's department, has returned from a vacation in Shasta county. He reports having had an excellent time hunting and fishing.

About 350 new oil tank cars have been received by the company. These will be used in place of the cars that the company has been leasing from the Union Tank Line.

A number of cars loaded with wheat were wrecked in the yards Monday. Two trains came together at a switch where the tracks upon which they were running joined. Although no one was injured, the loss of property was considerable.

The ferryboat Newark is still tied up on the wharf, owing to the inability of the Risdon Iron Works, on account of the strike, to deliver the new boilers that are to be placed in the vessel. The Newark has been on the ways about a year undergoing repairs that will cost about \$85,000. Work has been practically stopped, because the deck cannot be finished until the boilers arrive.

No dredging is now being done on the fill west of the machine shops. Gravel, however, is still being dumped into the fill.

Joseph Hillocker, hoisting engineer at Long Wharf, and Anna Everson have been united in marriage.

James Ford has returned from a camping trip in the Santa Cruz mountains.

Louis Hackett, night yardmaster, has gone to Milwaukee for a month's visit to his parents.

Switchman Hiram Wells will leave shortly for a trip through Lake county.

Switchman Eustace Albers and John Taylor will be transferred Monday from the night shift to the day.

Switchman Fred Grant will soon leave for a two months' trip to Oregon.

Alce Flourmyer and Harry McBride will leave soon for a hunting trip to Oregon.

ADMINISTRATRIX SAYS CLAIM IS EXORBITANT.

Mrs. Esther A. Knieb has filed a petition asking the court to fix the fee of Attorney J. N. Young for his services in the suit of Dr. Carrie Baker-Jump to recover a claim for medical services rendered Mrs. Knieb's late daughter, Georgia B. Stacey. Young presented a bill for \$200, but Mrs. Knieb has refused to allow it. Dr. Young's suit was for \$500. Young defended the case and lost it. Mrs. Knieb says Young's claim is exorbitant. The matter will be heard September 5.

DEATHS REPORTED.

Tern Yanayida, a Japanese woman, aged 34, died at 415 Seventh street of consumption.

Catherine Connolly, aged 26, a native of Ireland, died at 1631 Broadway. The immediate cause of her death was dropsy. The funeral will be held from the St. Francis de Sales Church on Monday next. The interment will be in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Patrick Duffy, 35 years of age, died August 25 in the Alameda County Hospital of heart disease. The deceased was a native of Ireland. The interment took place in Mountain View Cemetery.

Mrs. Annie Martinez, aged 23, a native of the Azores, residing at 611 East Seventeenth street, died August 29. The funeral was held today. The interment was in St. Mary's Cemetery. A. B. Stetson was the attending physician.

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THE SOCIETY of the Alameda County "Kings Daughters' Home for Incapables" (Incorporated) will hold its fourth annual meeting and election of directors on Friday, September 13th, at the Home, 1000 Oak St., Oakland. A full attendance of members is earnestly requested. E. J. O'NEILL, Secy.



Fatherless.

There's something about the little black dress that touches a man in a very tender spot. He puts the little one on the back, puts some tenderness in her hand, swallows hard and then starts out to make his own children fatherless. There is no doubt that many a man is taken from his family by neglect of simple precautions which would preserve his health. Disease generally begins nowadays in "stomach troubles" because the meals are hasty and the food not digested. From that beginning come disorders of the blood, liver, kidneys, heart or nerves. The use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, for diseases of the organs of digestion and nutrition will avert the catastrophe of more serious disease. It strengthens the stomach, purifies the blood, nourishes the nerves and builds men up in both brain and body.

"I can say to you, one bottle of your 'Golden Medical Discovery' has cured me sound and well, after suffering two long years with each disease," writes W. H. Braswell, of McAdenville, Gaston Co., N. C. "My health is worth all the world to me. I will praise you as long as I live."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets should be used with "Discovery" where a laxative is required.

Mendocino county. They report deer plentiful in that part of the State.

CONFIRMED THE SALE OF ESTATES OF MINORS.

Judge Ogden has confirmed the sale of personal property belonging to the estates of Ralph W. Albert P. and James N. Hill, minors, by their guardian, Mrs. Alvayne Hill. The property sold consists of interests in the schooner J. B. Leeds.

WIFE IS GRANTED DIVORCE AND ALIMONY.

Jennie Bambridge has been granted a decree of divorce from Frank G. Bambridge on the ground of desertion. She was awarded \$35 a month alimony and the custody of the minor child.

WILL APPRAISE THE ESTATE OF E. L. COURTAIN.

F. H. Barnes, F. A. Wilder and Dr. R. A. Summers have been appointed to appraise the estate of Eugene L. Courtain, deceased.

ESTATE IS APPRAISED FOR A SMALL SUM.

The estate of Bridget Muller

POLITICAL TALK IN SAN FRANCISCO.

REPUBLICANS ARE CASTING AROUND FOR A CANDIDATE FOR
MAYOR—MAGUIRE MAY LEAD THE LABOR PAR-
TY—THE GUBERNATORIAL CONTEST—
PERSONAL NOTES.

Special to the Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—Local politics hold the center of the stage here just now, for although the gubernatorial contest, the Senatorial possibilities, and the Lynch imbroglio, are in just as formidable a shape as ever, the fact that in a couple of months there will be a chance for the Republicans to get control of the metropolis for the next two years naturally subordinates everything else. The glorious uncertainty, too, with which the personal issues are attended makes the situation more interesting than ever, for despite all the newspaper gossip on the subject no one knows with more certainty than they did a month ago who is to head the Republican ticket.

There have been some negative results though. For example, Judge Slack, who was considered by many the most available man in sight, is positively out of the calculations, for although during the present week the Chronicle stated he may reconsider his former refusal to run, it can here be authoritatively stated that his name is no longer under discussion. Neither is that of his law partner, Van R. Paterson, who was being quietly boomed in some quarters for the nomination principally perhaps because it is known that the ex-justice has political cravings in his breast that must be satiated in some way. Charley Patton is also out of the question, for the reason that some consider him friendly with the Call interests and thereby antagonistic to the Burns elements and as Henry Crocker declines to run and Railroad Commissioner Laumister has received a quiet tip to be satisfied to remain where he is, the buck is passed up to some unknown quantity.

Speculation in this letter would be with just as little foundation as anywhere else, and the best way to dispose of the situation is to leave it exactly where it is. The facts are that Colonel Burns, who is now the guiding star of the approaching convention, has not only not reached a conclusion as to who the nominee will be, but he is absolutely without any preference. He says that the requirements upon this occasion are unusually exacting, for in order to steer clear of the labor troubles the nominee must be a man not allied or tied up in any way to either side. As in addition to this the Colonel also intends to reap the full

fruits of victory by having the prospective Mayor staunch and loyal to his wing of the Republican party, it is not surprising that this "Admirable Crichton" has been hard to find. The prime consideration is of course to get a man who can win, for the head of the ticket will this time practically determine the fate of all the other nominees. If for example an undesirable candidate for Mayor should be placed before the people it stands to reason that the knifing would also extend to the Supervisors so as to make the job complete. On the other hand with a popular man for Mayor he would carry the Supervisors and practically all the other nominees with him, so being the keynote of the whole situation it is well to hasten slowly in that regard. If everything goes well the Republicans anticipate a slump that will carry their ticket by at least 5,000 votes, so if that sentiment is properly created by means of popular candidates there is no reason why the entire municipal administration from one end to the other should not be captured.

HOARDON TO BE CHAIRMAN.

Colonel Burns feels, too, that there is no present necessity for hurry. The convention will not meet until the middle of September, and after the election of the chairman it is proposed to adjourn until the first part of October, during which interim the entire ticket will be programmed. It looks now like a certainty that Attorney Thomas Hoardon will be chairman, for outside of him all the other candidates have about disappeared.

As for the make-up of the body of the ticket it is in even a more chaotic condition than the first place upon it. It has been published during the week that instead of being given the nomination for District Attorney, Arthur G. Fisk would be accorded the City and County Attorneyship on the theory that it would be an easier fight for him. Such, however, is not the case. Franklin Lane, the present City and County Attorney, is to be renominated by the Democrats, and as he is one of the few remaining popular officials in the Phelan combine, he might give Fisk a pretty hard fight. Then again Fisk wants the District Attorneyship because of the patronage it carries, and as he has set his mind on it, and furthermore thinks that the Examiner would be friendly to his candidacy, he is not likely to accept a proposition to switch him elsewhere.

Another development is that the overtures regarding Deane can be considered as having fallen through. Deane's friends thought that despite his active opposition to the Burns tickets his place could be secured for him again on a compromise between the Chronicle and the powers that be, and they set assiduously to work upon those lines. Burns, however, is inclined to take the stand that to give the nomination to Deane would make it appear that he and his friends cannot get along without the Chronicle, and rather than have that idea go out he is willing to take the chance of De Young fighting the ticket if Deane's name is left off. The political ambitions of the proprietor of the Chronicle depend so much upon his party prestige in this State that it is not believed he will fight the representatives of the Republican organization when they are once selected in regular convention, so the governing combination is willing to take chances with him upon those lines.

PHELAN'S PROSPECTS.

On the Democratic side of the fence everything looks just about as it has for the past month. Those who think that Phelan will take the nomination again are just as much in evidence as ever, but unprejudiced onlookers are more and more satisfied that he will not, in view of passing events. The new point they raise is that the working elements will hold Phelan responsible for the details of police that have been sent after the strikers, for they argue that Chief Sullivan would not have issued the orders without his direct approval.

The strike has in fact changed the whole political complexion locally, for it is pretty hard to find a prominent man who has not been implicated on one side or the other. Then there is the Labor party to be considered—the movement that the Examiner is fostering and upon which it is said to have already spent \$10,000. While most people are inclined to pooh-pooh the idea that a new political organization of this description could control the situation, there is no telling what voters will do at the polls and if by chance a popular character like Maguire should take the nomination on the Labor ticket it might cause an upheaval along the line. It can be stated by the way that Maguire's name is being seriously considered by those who are agitating the workmen's movement, though it is scarcely likely that he would accept as he has been doing so well with his law practice that he is not inclined to break up his business connections again.

THE STATE FIGHTS.

State issues are developing slowly just now, for since Governor Gage went South and suspended for a time the active work he was doing here during the primary contest, there has been somewhat of a lull among the faithful. Tom Flint comes into town every week or so and makes the rounds of his fences to see where he can improve matters, but he is finding it hard work to make much headway at the present, owing to the disinclination of everybody to tie up until they can better see how things are going.

As a matter of fact the fight for the Supreme Court nominations is as much of a prime issue just now as the contest for the Governorship, for the

scene has shifted considerably during the past few weeks and it is by no means certain that it will not undergo just as radical changes in the near future. The Supreme Court proposition has been an odd one anyhow, and illustrates that politics, like horseracing, is a mighty uncertain game. Six months ago there was a general disposition to concede the renomination of all three of the Justices—Beatty, Harrison and Garoutte. No one knew exactly why this should be so, but there was the customary wagging of heads and references to influences that could not be beaten.

Today, however, it is doubtful if more than one of the three will be upon the ticket again, in fact they may all be sidetracked when the crucial moment comes. Harrison seems to have no particular claims for a nomination and as it is not likely that any delegations will be put up in his interests he will in reality be in a weaker position than outsiders who have been working in the spheres where every effort counts. The bitter personal fight between Garoutte and Beatty will, it is believed, effectually dispose of one of them, in fact they may emulate the Kilkenney cats and eat each other up before they get through.

Public gossip is inclined to give Garoutte many more chances than Beatty, the usual argument being that Garoutte has got the Native Sons behind him and would be a very strong man to place upon the ticket. Furthermore they allude to the claim that Garoutte will have fifty or sixty delegates in convention individually pledged to him and if this were true there is no doubt that their points would be well taken.

But there are many to throw cold water on this Garoutte boom. They say that he cannot get anything like the personal strength in question in convention and on the score of personal popularity they affirm that it would be a great party mistake to leave Beatty off the ticket. The Chief Justice may not be as popular with the lawyers as Garoutte, they say, but they insist that the people have confidence in him and want him. This is the situation as the party leaders are regarding it at present and anyone who thinks that Beatty is entirely out of it is very much mistaken.

SWEENEY TO THE FRONT.

There is a Richmond in the north around whose standard such strength is rallying that those who are watching developments think that there is no question as to his victory. The invader is Judge Ed Sweeney of Shasta. He wants a Supreme Court nomination and it looks as if he will get it. He has had similar ambitions before and his appeal for recognition has twice been made and twice denied, each time though being followed by developments that showed that some day he would get the answer he wanted.

Sweeney did not go home and sulk upon each occasion when the nomination was refused to him. On the contrary, he good naturedly took the position that the conditions were not yet ripe and then off went his coat and he got down to hard work for the men who had secured the prizes he sought. This sort of thing has made Sweeney very popular with party leaders, but sentiment is by no means his chief claim to recognition. During the past four years he has been quietly working up a political combination north of Sacramento on the lines of the one south of Tehachas, and he has now about perfected it. Shasta, Siskiyou, Calaveras, Humboldt, and the other counties up that way could never with much figure separately in convention, but with the political trust Sweeney has formed they will be about as formidable as their Southern rivals. This is the combination that will go into the State Convention next year and ask a Supreme Court nomination for Sweeney and the strength that it possesses is what makes it look like a winner.

A GOOD JOB FOR OLIVER.

Jim Oliver of Oakland has struck a good thing at last. There has been no question for a couple of years past that he would be given a nice little job somewhere in return for the services rendered by him, but the question has been how to provide for him. Almost everything in sight was gobbled up or promised, and as after investigating a San Francisco notaryship he decided that it would not quite fill the bill he had to sit down and indulge in a good long wait.

The end has come now though, for at the next meeting of the State Prison Directors, which may probably be held this afternoon, he will be elected Secretary of the Board, a four-year position carrying with it \$150 a month and free residence at San Quentin. The developments could not have come better for him, for he is to be married soon and will therefore be provided with comfortable quarters at the

HARD TO PLEASE.

Regarding the Morning Cup.

"Oh how hard it was to part with coffee, but the continued trouble with constipation and belching was such that I finally brought myself to leave it off."

"Then the question was, what should we use for the morning drink? Tea was worse for us than coffee; chocolate and cocoa we soon tired of; milk was not liked very well, and hot water was not liked to endure."

"About two years ago we struck up on Postum Food Coffee, and have never been without it since. We have seven children. Our baby now eighteen months old would not take milk, so we tried Postum and found she liked it and it agreed with her perfectly. She is today, and has been, one of the healthiest babies in the State. I use about two-thirds Postum and one-third milk and a teaspoon of sugar, and put it into her bottle. If you could have seen her eyes sparkle and hear her say "good" today when I gave it to her, you would believe me that she likes it."

DR. WHEELER TO STUDY HOSPITAL.

Merritt Trustees Will Send Him
East to Get New
Ideas.

Dr. P. S. Wheeler of the Board of Health and Trustees of the Merritt Hospital will leave for the East in about two weeks to make a study of the methods employed in the notable hospitals in the large Eastern cities. He will visit Philadelphia, Boston, New York, Chicago and other cities where modern hospitals have reached the highest point in arrangement, methods and treatment.

The ideas gathered by Dr. Wheeler will be incorporated in the plans of the Merritt Hospital which, when completed, will be one of the most finely equipped and modern hospitals in the world.

The site on which the hospital will be built is on the ground formerly occupied by the Pacific Theological Seminary. Dr. Samuel Merritt's sister, Mrs. Garcelon, left \$300,000 for the establishment of the hospital, and in order to carry out this work intelligently the trustees of the hospital have deemed it advisable to send Dr. Wheeler East to study the hospital arrangements there.

State's expense in addition to a snug salary.

HERE AND THERE.

Ed Smith, formerly secretary of the State Board of Agriculture is in town. After retiring from his position as presiding judge at the Tanforan racetrack, Smith moved to Santa Barbara and is now engaged in the asphalt business there.

Johnny MacKenzie dropped in from San Jose during the week and made the rounds. He seems well satisfied with the conditions down his way and does not think that Jim Rea can give him the knockout blow some people are talking about.

Bank Commissioner Barrett is in town from Los Angeles.

Jack Wright has gone to Bartlett Springs for a couple of weeks.

Arthur Levinsky, Congressman Woods' law partner at Stockton, passed a couple of days in town during the last week.

Ex-Governor Budd is back from his trip to the mountains, having put in a month deer hunting. He is limping as a result of having been kicked in the knee by a mule.

M. Kahn of Oakland is in town. He is a cousin of Congressman Kahn.

Ex-Sheriff Boggs of Lake county is helping to hold down the Lick hotel lobby.

Col. Harrington of Colusa, who was appointed by Governor Gage on the Board of the Home for the Feeble Minded, has been in evidence during the week.

Superior Judge Gray of Marysville is among the visitors.

Sam Shortridge is back from his trip to the Southern end of the State. The San Diego Tribune, after referring to his Senatorial aspirations, says that he expects to return to San Diego within a few weeks and indulge in a hunting and fishing excursion.

Superior Judge Mahon of Kern county and District Attorney Jack Ahern of the same place, are taking in the sights.

Elmer Cox is up from Madera.

W. W. Kaufman, Senator Stratton's law partner is expected back Monday from his month's outing in Marysville.

It is rumored that he has been arrested several times for violating the law limiting an individual shoot to two deer, but as his friends have had to get all their venison at down town stores, the story is not credited.

Frank R. Flint, ex-United States District Attorney, arrived from Los Angeles during the week and has taken a run up North.

Corney Pendleton, Speaker of the Assembly, is in town.

Judge Corcoran, who tried the famous Hite-Maders Flume case, will leave town for Mariposa, either tonight or early next week. Contrary to expectation he will not render his decision here, but will postpone the writing of his opinion until after he returns home. It is not thought therefore that it will be handed down for a month or so.

Senator Morehouse has forsworn Santa Clara county altogether since his return from Europe and is practicing his profession there with quiet fides on Sansome street. He limits it hard work to keep his fingers out of the political pie though, and will undoubtedly be heard from again in that regard as soon as his city residence is satisfactorily established.

Ex-Speaker Anderson came down from Suisun during the week. While he has not reached any decision as to running for the Assembly again, in all probability he will and the nomination will doubtless be tendered to him without opposition.

Howard Wright has returned from England, where he went at the request of the Plasmom Syndicate by which he is now engaged. He will locate permanently in New York.

Senator Bulla came up from Los Angeles during the week and called on his many political friends. He says that he does not intend to take a personal part in future campaigns down his way, that is as far as individual results for himself are concerned.

HATTON.

DOES NOT WANT TO PAY
JUDGMENT FOR WAGES.

The petition of J. P. Martin to review the Judgment of Justice P. C. Quinn of San Leandro in the suit of Lun Ho, a Chinese, for \$200 for wages, was argued today before Judge Green.

Some time ago the case was appealed. Some time ago the case was appealed. Some time ago the case was appealed.

Butler Smith has been authorized to sell property belonging to the estate of Frances Bennett, deceased, at private sale.

WILL KEEP THE MONEY IN THE TREASURY.

MAYOR BARSTOW IS IN FAVOR OF
HAVING A TAX ON BUSINESS
OF MERCHANTS.

Since Judge Smith decided that the sign ordinance tax was invalid, speculation has been rife concerning the disposition of the money collected while the ordinance was in vogue. The total sum collected is \$1,277.

Auditor Breed states that the law on the subject is that where taxes have been paid under an illegal ordinance, they cannot be recovered unless the person who paid the tax entered a protest against the payment of the same.

In this event the City will not lose many dollars, as Chief Clerk E. S. Finch of the Treasurer's office states that not over a half-a-dozen merchants or business men made a protest at the time on the payment of the tax. If the opinion of Auditor Breed holds good, the City does not stand to lose more than \$24 at the most by the decision of Judge Smith.

Mayor Barstow is in favor of the passage of a new ordinance in which the illegal features of the old ordinance are eliminated. He states that an appeal would cost money and time. Not only that, but the money paid into the City Treasury under ordinance cannot be paid out until a Superior Court passes upon the legality of the ordinance. If the city does not appear there is slim possibility of the people who paid the tax of recovering it, even if the payment of such tax was accompanied by a protest.

If it is found inexpedient to retract a sign ordinance Mayor Barstow is in favor of having a business tax, such as was in operation 12 or 15 years ago. The opinion of the Mayor is more revenue could be derived from a business tax than from the sign tax.

Auditor Breed states that the decision of Judge Smith will increase the deficit in the City Treasury about \$5,000, making approximately a total deficit of \$50,000 for the fiscal year.

BONDS FIXED TO CARRY
TRUSTS IN ESTATES.

Anne E. Lewis has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Elizabeth Lewis, deceased, with bonds fixed at \$1,534.

Bertha Smith has filed a bond of \$1,600, as administratrix of the estate of Estella Smith, deceased.

FINAL ACCOUNT IN THE
ELIJAH HOOK ESTATE.

The first account of the estate of Elijah Hook, deceased, has been approved and the property ordered distributed to the widow, Mrs. M. B. Hook, and the children, half and half.

HAS BEEN APPOINTED
GUARDIAN OF A MINOR.

Mrs. Alice Sommerladen has been appointed guardian of the person and estate of Anton C. Sommerladen, a minor with bond fixed at \$1,000. The estate is worth \$2,550.

CAN SELL PROPERTY
AT PRIVATE SALE.

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MRS. PITCHER CAN
SELL SOME REAL ESTATE.

Mrs. Annie Pitcher has been authorized to sell realty belonging to the estate of her late husband, H. B. Pitcher.

STARR KING PREPARES FOR THE SEASON.

PRINCIPAL JAMES HAVEN
POND WILL BE GIVEN A
RECEPTION.

The Starr King Fraternity will open its fifteenth season September 6th with a reception tendered to James Haven Pond, principal of the Oakland High School. The program will be as follows:

"John Le Conte," by Mr. Pond; "Hermann Grimm," by Leon J. Richardson, A. B., Assistant Professor of Latin in the University of California; songs, by Miss Marion Barrington, contralto refreshments. Open to members and their friends. Admission by card only.

The membership list for this year is as follows: Miss M. Agard, Mrs. J. J. Allen, Miss L. A. Armerman, J. E. Baker, Mrs. J. E. Baker, B. R. Banning, Mrs. C. H. Banning, Mr. T. L. Barker, Mrs. W. T. Barton, Mrs. W. S. Fuxter, Miss F. Belcher, Mrs. A. B. Deane, Mrs. J. A. Bliss, L. A. Bonth, T. S. Dwyer, Mrs. T. S. Dwyer, Mrs. E. J. Brown, Mrs. Rose E. Browne, Mrs. G. W. Dunnell, Mrs. A. W. Burrell, Miss Grace Burrell, Dr. Alice Bush, Miss Sarah Caig, D. W. B. Church, F. H. Clark, A. J. Cloud, Miss L. C. Cole, Mrs. J. N. Connor, B. Cornell, Miss A. H. Cornwall, Miss Metta Curtis, Mrs. A. G. Davis, A. A. Dennison, Jesse L. Dilibert, Miss Olive Dilibert, J. T. Dille, Miss A. M. Duren, Miss Minnie Dyer, A. H. Elliot, F. E. Evans, George S. Evans, C. C. Everett, Dr. S. J. Fenton, F. A. Fletcher, Miss M. E. Fletcher, Miss Lucy Fletcher, Professor D. T. Fowler, J. D. Galloway, J. P. Garlick, Dr. C. S. Gilman, Mrs. C. S. Gilman, Mrs. H. P. Glazier, Mr. W. H. Gorrell, Mrs. A. W. Gorrell, Miss Addie Gorrell, Miss Carrie Gorrell, Mr. Charles S. Greene, Mrs. E. E. Grenman, Dr. S. A. Hackett, Mr. M. L. Hadley, Mrs. M. L. Hadley, Miss K. M. Heaney, Miss S. J. Hodgdon, Mrs. G. H. Hunwood, Hon. John P. Irish, Miss John P. Irish, John P. Irish, Dr. F. O. Jacobs, Miss S. C. L. Janssen, Miss M. Janssen, Dr. M. L. Johnson, Miss C. D. Jones, Miss Jessie Kelsey, Miss A. Kiefer, Mr. E. A. Knezel, Mrs. E. A. Knezel, Mr. M. W. Koenig, Mr. P. N. Kuss, Miss C. P. Lott, Mrs. H. Lonsdale, Mrs. C. K. Loubserback, Mrs. J. G. Marsilly, Mr. Frank Martens, Mrs. A. B. Maynard, Miss J. R. McCord, Miss E. E. McNeely, Mrs. Calvert Meade, Mr. George S. Meredith, Mrs. George S. Meredith, Mrs. S. F. Mikol, Rev. B. Fay Mills, Mrs. B. Fay Mills, Mr. A. B. Nye, Mrs. A. B. Nye, Mrs. Grace

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MEDDLER TELLS A FEW SECRETS.

CAN YOU GUESS THE NAME OF THE MOTHER-IN-LAW WITH A
LONG FACE—WEDDINGS PLANNED FOR THE
FUTURE—PROGRESSIVE DINNER LAST
EVENING.

The marriage of Miss Florence Sterling to young Dr. Lillencrantz on Thursday was a very pretty affair, only it was too bad that the sun refused to shine on the nuptials. Of course the old superstition is absurd; it takes more than a sunshiny marriage day to bring wedded happiness—but a country wedding without sunshine is like meat without salt, and a gray day in the country is far less tolerable than one in the city.

Miss Sterling is a handsome girl and her gown was charming and beautifully becoming. She is a doctor's daughter herself, so it will be quite a medical family. Miss Edith Lillencrantz, the groom's eldest sister, who was the sole attendant of the bride, wore pink organdie over pink taffeta.

Mr. and Mrs. Havens, the bride's aunt and uncle, gave her a very charming wedding. The bungalow was beautifully decorated and the verandah, where some of the tables were set, were beautiful to look at, albeit a trifle cool. But that's the way in California—it's likely to be freezing in August and hot in midwinter. Plan a Mexican supper and it's sure to be July weather, and arrange for the most delightful of salads, cold dishes and ices and you'll have a little Klondike on the Fourth of July.

Other weddings are coming on a-plenty. Miss Eva May Reed and Harry Dale Danforth will be married this evening at the home of the bride's father, which has seen so many pretty weddings. The decorations for this affair will be entirely in pink blossoms. After a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Danforth will make their home with Mrs. Danforth's father.

Tuesday evening will be Miss Ethel Gage's wedding to Mr. Gross. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Richardson Jr., nee Bessie Gage, have returned to Oakland for the ceremony and are staying at the Gages'.

Fortunately the little passage-at-arms between Mrs. Remi Chabot and Mr. Stephen Gage at a recent meeting of the Chabot Home directors, makes no difference in the relations of the two families, as Miss Kate Chabot is to be a bridesmaid at the Gage wedding, and is to my mind the most stunning girl of those who will make up the wedding procession.

Miss Gage was entertained by Mrs. Henry Rosenfeld at the Palace Hotel last week. The guests were those who have entertained and been entertained over and over again during the festivities preceding the Gage wedding, so I will not bore you by repeating the names. The luncheon was pretty, however, and, afterward, the guests attended the matinee at the Columbia and saw Hilda Spong serving as a cook—quite a domestic play for young ladies about to wed.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hammer had a family dinner the other evening. The guests included the Gage family and Mr. George Ernest Gross. Mr. Hammer has recently returned from an extended business trip to Honolulu. Mrs. Hammer also gave a luncheon for fourteen in honor of Miss Gage.

It is really funny to read in the papers of the imposing mansion

at Piedmont which was burned this week. I fancy there isn't a resident of Piedmont that was not glad to see the unsightly castle go. What it was ever built for no one could possibly imagine.

The decorations at the Everson-Roberts wedding were exceedingly pretty and quite departed from the conventional thing in bridal flowers. Big jars of pink carnations afforded the note of color, and the rest was in beautiful russet tints—huckleberry, Indian creepers, oak boughs and autumn foliage. The Misses Elsie and Marian Everson were the bridesmaids, one in white and the other in pink chiffon. After the wedding breakfast the bride and groom hurried away and took the boat for Dawson, where the groom has mining interests and where they will pass the next winter. It will be a new experience for the bride, but the isolation of an Alaskan winter is nothing like what it used to be, since the trains run through all winter long and mail gets out at least once a week.

Harry Wright, the attorney, who practices in San Francisco but whose home is in Berkeley, has just returned from Nome, where he has been practicing during the summer. Mr. Wright represents a big legal firm and makes an annual trip to the northern country.

Mrs. Margaret Turner of Honolulu and Mrs. George Howard of Los Angeles were the guests of honor at Mrs. H. E. Cooke's recent luncheon. The other guests, all of them of Hawaiian connections, were Mrs. William H. Bailey, Mrs. Walsh, Mrs. Alexander, Miss Grace Cooke, Miss Mary Alexander, Mrs. W. O. Smith, Mrs. Thomas Hobron and Mrs. Mary Gunn.

Wallace Alexander has lately returned from Glen Alpine Springs above Tallac, on Lake Tahoe. Glen Alpine is a pretty place, with a rustic hotel and many rustic cottages. It is very informal and rather jolly, but of course not swell like Tallac.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Chase, the latter formerly Miss Bertha Crouch of Oakland, have been at Tallac for over two months. The Chases reside in Riverside, where they are building a large home to replace the one that was burned. Mrs. Chase is very stylish and had quite the swellest gowns seen at Tallac this summer. She dresses exceedingly well and is very popular. She is athletic, as is her husband. Once, you remember, she was the tennis champion of the State. Now she goes in for golf, rowing and swimming. At Tallac she rode horseback a great deal and went for a row on the lake every morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Crouch, who have come back to Oakland to live, they never having outgrown a lingering fondness for the sleepy town, are at present at Tallac.

Fabiola is to have a big whist party during September in the Ebell rooms, and I predict that it will be a great success. Unlike the others that have been given, this is to be a matinee, although men will be invited and welcomed as well as ladies. I have been wondering that no Oakland charity had the "gumption" to use a

homely but expressive word, to carry out what both San Francisco and Alameda did so successfully. I hope that Fabiola will make a lot of money. It is too bad that the Ebell Assembly room will not accommodate a greater number.

The Misses Irene and Mabel Rutherford entertained a number of friends last week at a five-handed euchre party at their home, 1396 Harrison street, in honor of Miss Katherine Lucretia Fairchild, whose marriage to Robert Arnold Foster will take place on Tuesday evening, Sept. 3d. The guests were Miss Emelie Fairchild, the Misses Carolyn and Anita Oliver, Miss Pearl King, Miss Lulu Rued, Miss Florence Mason, the Misses Alma and Ada Brown, Miss Elizabeth Gray, Miss Blankart, Miss Wallace, Miss Sadler, Miss Anna Widemann of Honolulu, Miss Tuttle, Mrs. W. E. Niles, Mrs. Felton Taylor, Mrs. Roy Mauvais, Mrs. Charles B. Parcells Jr., Mrs. Edwin Boyes, Mrs. Ernest Boyes, Mrs. Alexander Young, Mrs. Seth Mann, Mrs. Milwan, Mrs. Frederick Stoup, Mrs. William Williamson, Miss Helen Wright, Miss Milla Lally, Miss Mabel Gunn, Miss Imogene Kirk, Miss Crocker and Mrs. Loring B. Doe of Burlington.

Last night's progressive dinner was a great success, though the dampness interfered a bit with the waving locks and the crisp chiffons of the young ladies. The courses were served at the following houses in the order given: Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Coogan, 1217 Filbert street; Mr. and Mrs. E. Bishop, 1165 West street; Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Belden, Lake and Oak streets; Mr. and Mrs. Havens, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Burnham, 1386 Alice street; Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Kales, 176 Lake street; Mr. and Mrs. John F. Sims, 2421 Warring street, Berkeley, and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew W. Downey, College avenue, Berkeley.

Berkeley is getting quite gay. There are student rallies almost every day, it seems to those who hear the rallying, and last night President Wheeler gave a big reception to the freshmen and more advanced students who enter the University for the first time this semester. The reception, which was huge, took place in Hearst Hall, which answers the purpose of an assembly hall very well, and was quite brilliant, though rather informal, of course.

Miss Mabel Dodge has returned to her home in Alameda from a year spent in traveling through the Eastern States. She has had a most delightful time.

Donzel Stoney, who fell from a car in San Francisco and fractured his skull, is still very ill at the hospital in San Francisco, but is improving slightly. The Stoney and the Bailey families are connected by marriage and Mr. and Mrs. Stoney resided for some time in Oakland after their marriage.

Josephine Chabot's engagement was quite a surprise to those not intimate with the family. Mr. Dieckmann I do not know, but Miss Chabot is a charming and a stunning girl—she and Mrs. Knight are the beauties of the family. She is also a girl of much stability of character and deservedly respected and well-loved. Miss Chabot won the ring at Pauline Lohse's wedding—there is indeed a fatality in that magic circle.

Don't you think a girl is taking big chances or vice versa when she marries a man whose mother is of a notoriously sour disposition and when the face of the young man already begins to set into lines that are sour and dour? I was specially reminded of this the other night on observing at a restaurant a young man and his bride of a month. They were accompanied by the mother of the husband and positively I don't think there were twelve words spoken during dinner. You all know the people, so put on your thinking caps.

Meanwhile, the Mint investigation goes quietly on and Mr. Dimmick is not the only one in direct line of the flying mud. There seems little credit for anyone in this affair and I shall not be surprised if some very interesting things happen before they are through with it. One of the odd things is that Commissioner Hancock, before whom the case is

played for camp liscum. Last Thursday night the Dewey Theater was packed with friends of Camp Colonel Liscum, No. 15, of the Service Men of the Spanish War, the occasion being a benefit given the camp by Manager Stevens. The play was "Sapho," in which Mr. Stevens and his excellent stock company appeared to the greatest advantage.

PERSONAL NOTES ABOUT OAKLAND PEOPLE IN THE COUNTRY.

Mrs. Condit Smith, sister of Mrs. George E. Whitney is a guest at the home of the latter on Eighth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hussey and their daughter, Miss Evelyn Hussey, have returned from Rowdennan.

Mr. and Mrs. George Doubleday are at New Rochelle.

Philip Clay is at Saratoga as a delegate to his college fraternal society.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Landers and Miss Berenice Landers have returned from Santa Catalina Island.

Miss Laura Prather is at Angwin's in Howell Mountain.

Mrs. S. T. Alexander is spending her vacation in the Sierras.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Butters and Master Butters are in New York, having returned from their trip to Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Kluegel are in Los Angeles and will remain there till sometime in September.

Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Moffitt are passing the summer at the home of the doctor's parents on Webster street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wells are traveling in Southern Europe after a trip to Egypt.

Judge Ogden and E. K. Taylor are going on a hunting trip which will last through September.

Mrs. J. W. Quinn of Los Angeles is visiting her son J. W. Quinn, 1146 Adeline street.

County Surveyor George L. Nussbaumer and Mrs. Nussbaumer have left for a prolonged Eastern trip. Surveyor Nussbaumer has been slowly regaining his health since his attack of paralysis and hopes the change of climate will further benefit him.

Miss Maggie Humphreys and her sister, Mrs. Daisy Walker, and Master Walker of Sonoma are visiting here.

Miss Linehan is being entertained by Mrs. L. H. Greene of Sonoma.

J. J. Goff is in Bakersfield.

Mrs. N. J. Chesney and her son, Andrew Chesney have returned from the Hills-Hinkston wedding at Petaluma.

Mrs. P. H. Cordes of Gilroy is visiting her children in this city.

Mrs. Fannie Lowe and Miss Susie Mott of this city are the guests of Mr. J. A. Bours.

ing tried, was formerly a Judge in Santa Barbara, where Dimmick's father-in-law was a Superior Judge for years.

The tennis tournament in San Rafael has been very interesting, and the Sutton girls from the south, all very young, very brown, very muscular and very boyish, have divided all the laurels between them, save in only the mixed doubles. The Suttons play a remarkable game, but the youngest one, who is much the best player of them all, is said not to have the generalship of some of the older players, though she outclasses them in technique. That is often the way—the smallest jockeys are generally the youngest and by no means the cleverest. That is why Tod Sloan has been able to make half a million dollars. He combines with his tiny physique the brains and judgment of a man.

Mrs. Maude Berry Fisher, the Maude Lillian Berri of the stage, has sent some gorgeous photographs of herself back to her California friends. The pictures are taken as Boccaccio in pale blue tights and floating plumes, and are really exquisite things. Mrs. Fisher is at present in St. Louis, where she is keeping house, as she is singing a long engagement. Her little daughter has recently returned from a visit to her, accompanied by her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Berry of Fresno. Berrita Fisher is living again with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Fisher. They have recently returned from a visit to Stages Springs and will make their home at the Albany for the winter. Maude Lillian Berri is making a great success of her operatic career. We are hoping to have the pleasure of hearing her here some time.

I do not have to tell you that real news is a trifle scarce this week, but I've done the best I could, and I know I can trust you to be lenient with your old friend THE MEDDLER.

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and Mrs. I. A. Delano at Wildwood, near Healdsburg.

A. P. Reed disposed of his personal property at auction on Monday and has moved with his family to Oakland in order to give his children the advantages of the excellent schools of the Bay City. We regret that the colony must lose, even for a time, so sound and influential a citizen as Mr. Reed has proved himself to be. His family will also be missed by their associates. We trust, however, that they will find their new home pleasant and assure them a hearty welcome whenever they return to Dos Palos.—Dos Palos Star.

Miss Eva Powell of this city has been the guest of Mrs. G. W. Kirkham the past week in Benicia.

Lee Andrews, Jack Sherry, Frank Richardson and Charles Borchers, all of Oakland, came in this morning on the Fruto train and departed for their home. They had been on a hunting expedition in the coast mountains.—Willows Journal, August 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pippin have been passing a few days in Santa Clara.

Miss Annie Roth of Santa Clara is passing a few days in this city.

Mrs. Frank Dewar and Mrs. G. E. Olmstead of Dunsmuir are on a visit to this city.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mahon of Colfax have come to this city for a few days.

The Misses Ila and Oda Ginecholo of Jackson are spending several weeks as guests of Mrs. McDonald on Fifteenth street.

Miss Bessie Farwell of Hume ranch, near Saratoga, is in this city.

Mrs. James Bagley of Ione has returned from a visit to this city.

Dr. H. Rucker has been on a business trip to Merced.

Miss Clara Conway is the guest of Miss Jean Campbell of Grass Valley.

Dr. R. L. Hill Jr. has recovered from his serious sickness and has returned to Oakland much improved in health and strength. He will resume his professional work.

A. E. Trower has returned from three weeks' trip through the northern part of the State.

F. W. Trower and sister are spending a week at Catalina Island.

The following Oakland people were recently at Bartlett Springs: John Edwards, M. J. Battencourt, F. Mcweeney, J. A. Bours.

Every scene was enjoyed and the line of every performer was followed by the auditors with the greatest interest. The audience was, in greater part, made up of friends of the camp, and a handsome sum was realized.

The members of the organization were in attendance, though they did not appear in uniform. Among them were noticed G. F. Ames, E. F. Marrell, J. W. Ames, C. G. Luffrell, P. B. Baker, I. E. Luffrell, F. L. Baker, L. T. Lacy, R. G. Bartlett, H. W. Jones, D. F. Ballou, C. E. Johnson, J. F. Byrne, F. L. Johnson, H. E. Bush, L. R. James, F. L. Bayley, W. H. Hyland, L. F. Chase, A. F. Hughes, F. L. Crosby, H. F. Huber, S. J. Dickson, D. L. Hopkins, W. F. Dunne, C. B. Griffin, E. M. Edwards, A. B. Edgar, H. Myers, A. N. Webster, J. C. Murray, S. R. Wood, P. A. Mix, W. S. Wilde, R. S. Mugge, F. W. Westdahl, J. F. McDermott, G. F. Waters, E. J. McDonald, A. Vollmer, D. N. McMillan, P. H. Varney, R. H. Norton, F. C. Turner, James O'Leary, J. B. Olen, W. C. Olen, E. L. Thompson, L. Patery, C. D. Powers, L. E. Quigley, A. H. Rogers, J. M. Roeth, G. H. Rose, A. Schunoff, H. Staedler, Geo. Taylor, Charles Warner, A. A. Zellinsky, Sam Bernovich, T. J. Thompson.

The committee of arrangements comprised D. N. McMillan, E. L. Thompson, H. F. Huber. The officers of the camp are: Commander, A. F. Hughes; Vice-Commander, August Valmer; Adjutant, Fred Baker; Treasurer, E. J. Faneuf; Chaplain, Stephen Wood.

APPEAL TO CHARITABLE.

The following circular, which is self-explanatory, is being extensively circulated and will, undoubtedly, attract considerable attention among charitable-minded people in various social circles.

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DANFORTH-REED.

The wedding of Miss Eva May Reed and Harry Dale Danforth took place this afternoon at the home of the bride's father, Charles G. Reed, 1257 Filbert street. The Rev. Charles R. Brown of the First Congregational Church officiated. There

greatest help to families, as it provides the only safe place for the little ones, while the mother is at work and away from home.

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COMING GAGE-GROSS NUPTIALS.

Weddings have come thick and fast during the present and preceding seasons. Indeed, they have been of such frequent occurrence that social circles have had to indulge in unwelcome activity in attending the number which have sometimes taken place in one night.

Tuesday next, there will be two events which will attract social attention, one of which is mentioned elsewhere. The other of these is the mating of Miss Ethel Thornton Gage and George Gross.

It will take place in St. Paul's Episcopal Church and will, undoubtedly, attract throngs of people to the sanctuary which has already witnessed the solemn making of so many marital vows.

Miss Ethel Gage will be attended by Miss Mabel Gage, her sister, as maid of honor, and the bridesmaids will be Miss Carrie Nicholson and Miss Kate Chabot.

Mr. Gross has chosen as his best man W. E. Dean, and the ushers will be George Humphreys, George Gage, Harry Mason and William Ward.

The officiating clergyman will be Rev. Robert Ritchie, who has presided over more of the swell matrimonial ventures of this city than any other of the younger clergymen of Oakland.

There will be no reception after the marriage, because as soon as the ceremony is over, bride and groom will leave on their wedding tour, which will occupy only a few days. The couple will then return and take up their home which has just been prepared to receive them.

There will later be a reception there to their friends commemorating the nuptial event.

Miss Ethel Gage is the daughter of Stephen T. Gage, one of the best known men in the state, whose home is at 1300 Webster street.

George Gross, for a number of years was manager of the Reliance Athletic Club. He is now assistant treasurer and enjoys the keenest appreciation of host of friends in all parts of the city.

FABIOLA WHIST CONTEST.

Preparations are being made for the Fabiola Whist Tournament, and they have now progressed so far that there is no doubt that the undertaking will be a grand social and financial success. This great competition in cards will take place September 14, and the place of contest will be the rooms of the Ebell Club.

The committee of which Mrs. Barton is chairman is made up of Mrs. Remi Chabot, Mrs. Isaac Requa, Mrs. E. F. Weston, Mrs. C. W. Ames, Jr., Mrs. Wallace Everson, Mrs. Wm. R. Davis, Mrs. Gordon Stimp, Mrs. E. A. Heron, Mrs. R. W. Gurnell, Mrs. Oscar Lundin, Mr. Albert Brown, Mrs. Wm. Clift, Mrs. Prentiss Selby, Mrs. W. W. Standeford, Mrs. A. Schilling, Mrs. Wm. Moller and Mrs. Wm. Angus. The score is to be kept by thirty judges, and the bride wore an exquisite gown of French organdie over white taffeta. The tulle veil was quite long, and the bride carried bride roses. Miss Edith Lillencrantz, a sister of the groom, was bridesmaid. She wore a gown of pink organdie over white taffeta, and carried bridesmaid roses. The groom was attended by Walter Dayton. Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served on the veranda, which had been inclosed and carpeted.

Following the illness of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mary Sterling, the wedding guests were limited to relatives and most intimate friends, only about forty-five being present. The bride is the daughter of the late Dr. Sterling of New York and is a graduate of an Eastern school. The groom is a son of Dr. and Mrs. A. Lillencrantz and is associated with his father, who is one of Oakland's leading physicians. Dr. Lillencrantz Jr. is a graduate of the Rush Medical College of Chicago.

After a tour of the southern part of the State Dr. Lillencrantz and his bride will reside in Oakland.

Among the wedding guests were: Dr. and Mrs. J. K. McLean, Dr. and Mrs. A. Lillencrantz, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Booth, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Requa, General and Mrs. Oscar F. Long, Mr. and Mrs. Wickham Havens, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Engs, Mrs. Sherman, William G. Henshaw, Miss Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. George Sterling, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Thayer, Mrs. Dayton, Walter Dayton, R. Johnson, Mrs. J. Stanford Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Wickham Sterling, Philip Thayer, Miss Edith Lillencrantz, Miss Odille Lillencrantz of Chicago, Todd Lillencrantz, Miss Mabel Woodhams, Harold Havens, Miss Madeline Sterling, Miss Marion Sterling, Seyd and Paul Havens, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Havens, Mrs. Mary Sterling, Misses Alice and Ada Sterling.

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were no attendants and only relatives of the young couple were present. The decorations were entirely of pink blossoms. After a wedding journey Mr. and Mrs. Danforth will reside in this city.

FAREWELL SURPRISE.

Miss Pearl Nickerson was the guest of honor at a farewell surprise party recently given at the home of her mother, Mrs. G. W. Nickerson of 4105 Linden street. Supper was served after an evening passed with music and games. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Floater, Harold Elster of Lima, Ohio, F. O. Nelson, A. C. Dipe, Miss Lydia Reab, Mrs. J. McCrudden, Miss Bertha Neal, H. Kitchin, the Misses Sophie and Emeline Reab, Miss Elizabeth R. Geike, Miss May Hamann, Miss Katharine Harrington, Miss Mabel J. Shoo, Miss Victoria Shoo, Leslie R. McKillican, George Nelson, Miss Maude Thiesen, Miss Bessie Wall of Victoria, B. C. Harry Jumper, Miss Adeline Snow, C. M. Lanston, Miss Alberta Kitchin, Miss Thelma Brodus, J. E. Morrow, Wesley Miller, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Nickerson, Miss Maude Nickerson, John McCrudden, F. M. Smith, J. L. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Nickerson Jr.

BACK FROM MANILA.

The homes of Mr. and Mrs. F. Cary and Mrs. L. Schwartz were made happy by the return of their sons Wednesday from Manila, after two years' hardship. Charles Cary and Fred Schwartz, both members of Company F, N. G. C., were as happy to return as their parents were to receive them. Both are looking well and hardy. Their stay here will not be long, as they leave for Montana in about a week to finish their term of enlistment, which will be about a month hence. They will meet their friends at Charles Cary's home, 573 Seventeenth street, Saturday night, August 31. All will be made welcome and a happy time will be experienced.

EUCHRE PARTY.

Mrs. Roy Mauvais gave a euchre party Thursday evening at her pretty home near Lake Merritt. The decorations were in yellow and red. Among the guests were: Mr. and Mrs. James Tyson, Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson, Mr. and Mrs. Felton Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Churchill Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bachelder, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watson, Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Medros, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lovell, Miss Florence Stewart, Miss Elsie Mitchell of Alameda, Mollie Wells, Fred Henkenius and George Ennis of Alameda, Charles Dillon of San Francisco, Dr. E. B. Boyes and Dr. E. J. Boyes.

THE GRAY LUNCHEON.

A luncheon was given by Miss Katherine Gray, Thursday, August 22, in honor of Miss Symons of Sonoma, who is spending her vacation here. The table decorations were green and white. Among those present were Miss Symons, Miss Westall, Miss Reier, Miss Conrad of San Francisco, Miss Chamberlain, Miss Moore of San Francisco, Miss Rother of Sonoma, Miss Hubbard, Miss Britton and Miss Gray.

GAVE A LUNCHEON.

Mrs. M. Lewis gave a luncheon Friday in honor of Mrs. Ernest Sallinger, who is visiting in Oakland. The table was prettily decorated with yellow flowers, yellow satin ribbons and ferns. Covers were laid for ten.

POLLITT-UGLOW.

The wedding of George Pollitt, assistant superintendent of the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company, and Miss Florence Uglow of San Francisco took place last Thursday. The ceremony was performed at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. James Pollitt, the groom's parents, (Continued on Page 7.)

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SUCCESS OF THE ARCHEOLOGICAL EXPEDITION SENT OUT BY THE LADY.

Doctor Reinsner's Discovery of a Temple and the Famous Greek Medical Papyrus.

(From Saturday Night.)

The people of this coast are beginning to take a great deal of pride in the fact that the University of California is leading the world in the line of archaeological research. The development has been made possible for our State by the whole-hearted generosity of Mrs. Phoebe Hearst and by her wise and able direction of lines of work.

The results of all the earnest effort for the past months have not been thoroughly understood by the general public. Only formal announcements have been made, and any papers have not been read by the general public. Only meager accounts of what is really remarkable and very original work has reached the general reader.

Public interest is much concerned, however, in the new department of Indian Anthropology, established recently by Mrs. Hearst. The head of the department is Doctor A. L. Kroeber, of Harvard, who arrived from the East this week. He has studied under Dr. Putnam of Harvard, one of the leading investigators in the science of anthropology in the world.

He will be assisted by Pliny E. Goddard who has been appointed Hearst fellow in Anthropology.

Through the kindness of Mr. Victor Henderson, President Wheeler's Secretary, the Saturday Night has been enabled to make a most interesting study of the work attempted along many lines, and the remarkable success attending the various efforts. The work of to-day is furnishing absolutely invaluable data, upon which future generations will be able to base thorough scientific study.

Doctor Kroeber will undertake the formation of a department of research into the antiquities, folk lore, religion and languages of the various Indian tribes. There will have to be a vigorous effort made to rescue the fading remnants of Indian lore before it is too late. More Indian languages are spoken to-day in California, than in all the other States of the Union put together.

Some of the Indian languages are almost extinct, and are known only to half a dozen individuals. In the course of a few years they will have perished absolutely unless they are recorded and preserved. The Indian children of to-day are not speaking the Indian languages to any great extent; they are speaking English or Spanish.

Doctor Kroeber and his assistant will make records of the languages spoken and these will be carefully studied according to the latest scientific methods. The progress of this work will be watched with the profoundest interest by students all over the world. No American could of course transmit this language, so phonographic records will be kept. They will be imperishable, and future generations may study at leisure what we are hastening to obtain from the remnants of Indian tribes in our State.

Abbe Ransseler of Paris is having made for the University of California, some of the finest phonographic apparatus known in the world. It contains rare improvements in phonetics and in the tracings of sound. Remarkable results are expected from it, and future generations will be profoundly grateful for the light thrown in this way on the habits, customs, folk lore and religions of the Indian tribes, in our day becoming rapidly extinct, before many of the lessons taught them by their white brethren.

In this one department of study, California bids fair to lead the world in the coming months, and to bequeath to the generations to come an inheritance of which California may well be proud.

Mrs. Hearst's many archaeological expeditions present surprising and interesting results. They are all in the University of California, and in the near future, there will be the foundations for one of the most interesting museums in the world.

One of the collections is coming from the Philippine Islands, where Captain Sydney A. Croman is authorized to spend certain sums in the interest of Philippine anthropology. He has already made an exceptionally fine collection, including pre-historic weapons, painted weapons, and many other intensely interesting archaic specimens. Among other things are helmets, and a set of old armor of an old Spanish type made by the natives in the interior, and looked upon by the Europeans and Americans with much wonder. It is supposed that in very early times a ship load of Spanish adventurers made its way to the Philippines; the men plunging into the interior in the search for gold and diamonds were never heard of again, except in the lapse of ages, as we see the old Spanish armor reproduced by the natives.

Doctor Philip Mills Jones is making an expedition through California and New Mexico, purchasing from collectors here and there, anything that may be of interest along archaeological lines for the University of California.

The researches of Doctor Max Uhle in Peru are of immense, and unique interest. He has been wonderfully successful in his work and has already discovered many relics which antedate the Incas. One hundred cases of most interesting specimens have been received from Doctor Uhle in Peru, and

are now in San Francisco. The explorations in the tombs have been of much value, owing to the old custom of burying art objects with the dead. There are stone carvings, beads, weapons and antique pottery.

Among other unique purchases has been the bottom of a deep well. It is of immense historic interest, because into it were thrown many exceedingly interesting offerings to propitiate the water spirits.

Some of the most effective work along archaeological lines is being done by Professor Alfred Emerson, the eminent American Archaeologist. He comes from the department of Archaeology at Cornell, and has published many scientific treatises of note. Professor Emerson also did valuable work in connection with the American School at Athens.

Professor Emerson is travelling on the continent gathering, wherever possible, classical antiquities for the Museum of the University of California. He has a fund of ten thousand dollars a year to expend on these antiquities, and he has spent much time in Paris, London, Rome, Naples, Brussels, and other art centers, wherever there are eminently successful, and a remarkably fine collection of classical antiquities now the property of our State University. There are household implements, such as locks and keys, and household utensils, such as lamps and razors. Swords and other weapons tell their own story of early warfare. Pottery of different descriptions mark the progress of civilization. The financial side of "the day's work" is marked by the quantity of Greek and Roman coins in the collection.

The many vases are an important part of the collection, emphasizing the exquisite artistic development of the Greeks.

The different styles show the beautiful combinations of Greek curves, and the many vases carry very lovely pictures denoting the different phases of Greek life. The collection gathered by Professor Emerson shows fine specimens of ancient glassware, rare, expensive and beautiful; there are some good terra-cottas, and the always interesting and dainty Tanagra figurines.

Original murals are of course expensive and difficult to obtain, but Professor Emerson has been able to obtain some good specimens in his collection. The bronzes, casts and sculptures have been selected with care. The collection will be absolutely invaluable to the student, as giving a practical illustration of the religion and varying phases of Greek life and thought.

In the famous collection of Theodore Graf are some mummy covers, immensely valuable. They are the covers of mummy cases; the portraits have been painted on them by Greek artists. The originals are owned by Theodore Graf, but he has allowed Professor Emerson to have seven copies made, imitating exactly the technique of the original.

By various processes it is possible to imitate metal objects with wonderful fidelity. One cannot obtain the originals, but these imitations are made for purposes of study. So that it will be possible by means of this collection to trace the growth of a particular art from age to age.

A great collection has just been extended to the University of California. Some months ago an exquisite Apollo in bronze was discovered in Italy, and is now in the Louvre in Paris. It has never been copied because the authorities thought that in some way the color might be injured in the casting.

Recently permission was given to Professor Emerson to copy it, and this week the famous Apollo will be cast for the museum at the State University, a courtesy which is much appreciated by President Wheeler and Mrs. Hearst. Professor Emerson has been spending the summer in America, but returns to his work abroad in September.

Among the most remarkable archaeological "finds" of the century are those in Upper Egypt where Professor Reinsner and his associates have been working for the past two years. They have had in their employ from fifty to a hundred native diggers, and the Valley of the Nile has yielded results of immense value to Egyptologists. It gives the history of archaic dynasties down to Roman records.

The archaic cemeteries tell wonderfully interesting stories of the early days of Egyptian history. Here one learns of the flint camp and the houses of the earliest Egyptian times.

One of the discoveries of the century is called the "Hearst Medical Papyrus," and is immensely valuable as containing medical formulae never before known, easily antedating the medical papyrus of the great Ebers. Recently one of Germany's famous scholars, who is writing a very scientific work, a history of medicine, has applied for permission to examine the Hearst papyrus, as being the oldest medical document on record.

Dr. Reinsner is assisted by Richard Mr. Hunt and Mr. Grenfeld. Ten thousand dollars a year is devoted to this excavation fund in Egypt, and it has been money well expended, for the results of the many excavations show very fortunate finds.

In Upper Egypt an old temple has been excavated, representing the aristocratic and learned class of the Ptolemaic period.

It was a most interesting find, for here are Ptolemaic papyrus in Greek, more of them than are found in all the museums of the world put together. A part of this Ptolemaic papyrus must go to the museum at Ghizeh; the rest will be the distinguished property of the University of California. Messrs. Grenfeld and Hunt are now in England, deciphering the papyrus and the results will be published in the name of the University of California. In archaeological researches this constituted the principal discovery of the year.

The whole Egyptian collection marks a wonderful historical record. There are plans of tombs and buildings, historic art, the arts and sciences, and the whole range of the history of the Egyptians, the most truly remarkable people the world has known.

Dr. Reinsner is pursuing his work under the most favorable circumstances. He has gained the confidence of the native diggers, who assist in every way possible. Everything of value is first offered to him.

Dr. Reinsner planned that the year's work should end with a great festival

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for the natives. A fantasia was given with many unique features. A great feast was prepared for the natives, at which there were sheep roasted whole and other adjuncts in like proportion. There were "potato races," bonfires and native athletic sports.

"The Fantasia" concluded with a splendid display of fireworks, which thoroughly astonished the natives, who thought they saw magnificent meteoric showers. They are prepared to thoroughly assist Dr. Reinsner and his associates in their work during the coming year.

Agas ago, the Egyptians tried to solve their life problems in their own way. They have left a record of patient endeavor, and achievements that after all these centuries challenge the attention of the world.

Many of these records of human endeavor will find a permanent abiding place in a far country, and this new learn many lessons from the old Egyptian people on the edge of a continent will nation of the long, long ago.

SOCIETY NEWS.

(Continued From Page 6.)

at 67 Eleventh street. Mr. Pollitt was attended by William J. McQuinn. The bridesmaid was Miss Lillian M. Harper. The Rev. Dwight E. Potter, pastor of Union Street Presbyterian Church, of which the groom is organist, was the officiating clergyman. The wedding was quietly celebrated, because of the illness of the groom's mother.

TO WED ON TUESDAY.

Next Tuesday evening, the marriage of Miss Katherine Fairchild and Robert Foster will take place. It will be one of the most festive of the nuptial events of the season. The hour set is 8 o'clock and there will be present only a small number of relations and close friends. The marriage will be followed by a general reception.

Miss Fairchild is a young and charming bride. She is a pronounced brunette and a favorite among her friends who are found in all the leading social circles.

Robert Foster, the intending groom, is a graduate of the State University, and is achieving a reputation as a skilled scientist in Arizona.

EBELL SOCIETY OPENING

On the 10th of next month, the Ebelle Club will formally open the season's work with a luncheon which will be attended by many of the best known and most devoted members of the organization. Among the honored guests will be Mrs. Phoebe Hearst, Miss Alice Fletcher and Miss Nell of Washington, D. C. The room will be beautifully decorated and there will be an interesting display in the occasion by all the members.

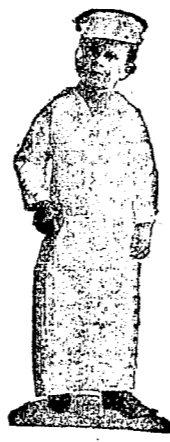
A LIVELY TIME.

Next Tuesday evening there is to be a rally at the university of California in honor of the Juniors. In it, the faculty, alumni and students are to take part. There will be a lively time because all of the prospective attendants are in the best of spirits and will leave nothing undone to make the occasion memorable.

ALUMNI GATHERING.

The Alumni commissioned officers of the University of California are preparing for an entertainment on the evening of September 21. The beautiful grounds around the Schilling re-

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sidence on Jackson street will be used for the purpose. The place may be termed enchanted because of its rare loveliness.

EUCHRE AT THE GALINDO.

A pleasant party at which progressive euchre formed the principal feature, was given last Thursday evening in the parlors of Mrs. Z. A. Lear of Redding in the Galindo Hotel. The apartments were beautifully decorated for the occasion, fuschias and sweet peas entering into the color scheme.

The contestants and guests sat around four tables and played the game with the keenest interest. The first prize was won by Mrs. Morris. The consolation prize fell to the lot of Miss McLain. Light refreshments were served during the progress of the games. The host and guests were as follows: Mrs. Z. A. Lear of Redding; Dr. and Mrs. McQuinn; Mr. and Mrs. William Morris; Colonel J. C. Mullen; Miss Emma Roberts; O. J. Mullen; Mrs. Marshall of St. Louis; Miss McLain of St. Louis; James McCormick of Redding; Mrs. F. M. Swasey; Miss Alice Swasey; Miss Olive Swasey of Redding.

PROGRESSIVE DINNER.

Today a progressive dinner, which has been anticipated with a great deal of interest, was given and greatly enjoyed. The young people who were guests drove to the different residences, the first course being served at Mrs. T. C. Coogan's and the last at Mrs. A. Downey's in Berkeley. The intervening courses being enjoyed at the respective homes of Mrs. E. Bishop, Mrs. J. R. Burnham, Mrs. H. K. Belden, Mrs. B. Hayden, Mrs. William Letts Oliver and Mrs. Sims of Berkeley.

The guests, under the chaperonage of Mrs. Coogan and Mrs. Burnham, were: Miss Mary Coogan, Miss Loretta Burnham, Miss Daisy Belden, Miss Cordelia Bishop, Miss Anita Oliver, Miss Lalla Wenzelberger, Miss Jean Downey, Miss Lillian Downey, Miss Florence Hayden, Miss Ruth Kales, Miss Ethel Sims and Miss Myrtle Sims.

The gentlemen of the party were: Arthur Kales, Hugh Goodfellow, Mr. Abadie, Rudolph Schilling, Parker Holt, Frank Parsons, Ray Hanna, Aldrich Barton, Dan Belden, Prentiss Selby, Ben Reed and Al Cosgrove.

CHILDREN TO PLAY.

Forty pupils of Miss Hilma A. Butler have been rehearsing for some time for their exhibition which will take place at Elletts Hall on September 27th. The features of the entertainment will be the most interesting and entirely new. The children will be handsomely costumed and the program promises to be one of the most delightful given here this season.

MISS PILCHER'S PARTY.

Miss Birdie Pilcher entertained a number of her friends on Thursday evening last at her home in East Oakland. The evening was very pleasantly spent and refreshments were served at a late hour. As it was her birthday the hosts received a number of beautiful and useful gifts.

ENTERTAINED FRIENDS.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mauvais entertained friends Wednesday evening at their residence on Thirteenth street. There was a large attendance of guests and the time was passed in a manner which was thoroughly enjoyed by every person present.

TO MARRY THIS EVENING.

Miss Mabel J. Shoo and Leslie R. McKilligan will be married at 8:30 o'clock this evening, at the home of the bride's parents, where will be present a large number of guests. The ceremony will also be the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of the marriage of the bride's parents. Judge Greene will officiate. The bride party will enter the drawing room to the strains of "Johnnie Wadell March," which will be played by a string orchestra. The bride will be gown in white organdie over white silk, elaborately trimmed with tulle and ruffles, edged with white satin ribbon. She will be attended by her sister, Miss Victoria Shoo, as maid of honor. The bridesmaids will be in green organdie over green silk. Dr. H. Hopkins will act as best man. The ceremony will take place in a bower of pink blossoms at one end of the drawing room. The lower floor will be decorated to represent a garden. Its help will be given by the bride's attendants. The light will be furnished by two hundred Chinese lanterns. Only relatives and intimate friends will be present. After the ceremony a wedding supper will be served and later the couple will leave for a wedding journey. Upon their return they will reside in their new home on Twenty-third street. Those invited to the ceremony are: Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Shoo, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKilligan, Miss Lettie McKilligan, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moffitt, Jefferson Moffitt, Frank Jorann, Dr. H. Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Shoo, Miss Lillian Dimick, B. C. Lund, Miss Victoria Shoo, Miss Lotta Anthony, William Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. George Nickerson, H. Joseph and Judge W. E. Greene.

DUDLEY-HENDERSON.

A wedding of much interest in army circles occurred last Thursday evening, when Miss Margaret Henderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson, was married to Clark DeWitt Dudley, First Lieutenant, Fifteenth Cavalry, U. S. A. The marriage ceremony, which was a very quiet one, was performed at the home of the bride's parents, 23 Thirty-fourth street, by the Rev. J. L. McDonald of the First Presbyterian Church.

The bride has been for some time a student of the State University. Lieutenant Dudley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Dudley of Forest City. He returned here last Wednesday on the Hancock from the Philippines, where he has been two years with the Fourth Cavalry, fighting valiantly only to surrender in the end to the charms of an Oakland girl.

Since his return home, he has been transferred to the Fifteenth Cavalry. After the ceremony Lieutenant and Mrs. Dudley left for San Francisco, where they will remain a few days before joining his troop now stationed at Benicia.

MISS LE BOEUF'S GUEST.

A most enjoyable party was given by the Misses Le Boeuf at their home, 522

Tenth street, in honor of their cousin, Joseph La Lone of Peking, who is visiting them on route from Peking to his home in New York.

Hearts was the game of the evening. The prizes were won by Miss Bird and Mr. Hardin. Those present were Misses Griffith, Bingham, Jones, Peter, Bird of San Francisco, Stickney of Merced, and Messrs. La Lone, Hanrahan, Sporier, Hardin, Bingham, Prof. Ferrier and the hostesses.

WILL MARRY IN SEPTEMBER.

A luncheon recently given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Walcott, 227 Franklin street, at which an announcement of the engagement of Miss Inez Wallace and Milton Spaulding was made. The wedding will take place Tuesday, September 17. It will be witnessed by only the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The marriage will be followed by a wedding tour.

The bride will be attended by Miss Edith Schultz as maid of honor, while the three little nieces of the groom, Reba Spaulding, Marcelle Brown of Nevada City and Margaret Parker of Sacramento will act as bridesmaid and ribbon bearers. William Spaulding, a brother of the groom, will be best man.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. L. Wallace. She is a beautiful girl, an accomplished musician and member of the Wednesday Morning Club.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spaulding. The luncheon at which the engagement was announced was a very enjoyable affair. The table was decorated with pink sweet peas and fuschias. The guests were laid for Miss Wallace, Miss Eva Powell, Miss Helen Powell, Miss Helen Winchester, Miss Katherine Smith, Miss Lucy Maxwell, Miss Alice Graham, Miss Edith Williams, Miss Bertha Stalder, Miss Edith Evans, Miss Gertrude Evans and Miss Grace Dawson.

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W. R. C. ENTERTAINS.

The ladies of Appomattox Woman's Relief Corps gave a tea and reception Thursday afternoon at Loring Hall in honor of Mrs. E. H. Gammons and Mrs. Minnie H. Shaw, who are here from Boston on a brief visit to their sister, Mrs. S. H. McFarlin of 147 Tenth street. Mrs. McFarlin is one of the oldest members of the Woman's Relief Corps.

A very interesting entertainment preceded the tea. The musical and literary program was as follows: Violin duet by Miss Frankie Jackson and Miss Laura Peterson; recitation by Miss Pauline Miss A. Ford, vocal solo by Miss Alice Lyng; recitation by little Miss Edna Thomas, a pupil of Miss Hilma A. Butler; vocal solo by Miss E. Knight; recitation by Miss Kate Sylvia. An address by John W. Gault concluded the program.

TWO HOME WEDDINGS.

The engagement has been announced of two of the daughters of Daniel Walde of Echo avenue. Miss Fannie Walde and Frank W. Shimer are to be married on September 14th at the home of the bride's father. The only attendant will be Miss Mollie Walde and Frederick Walde, sister and brother of the bride-elect. The house will be decorated in pink and green. About fifty guests are invited. Rev. A. W. Hare of Oak Congregational Church is to perform the ceremony. The date for the wedding of Miss Pauline Walde and Will Kadell has been set for September 23d. It also will be a home affair.

AN AT HOME.

An informal "at home" was given last Thursday evening by Miss Edith Fuller at the residence of Mrs. C. H. Stegman in honor of two visiting students of the State State Normal School, Miss Blanche Bunny and Miss Lorena Day. The residence was prettily decorated in red. Music and games helped to pass a few pleasant hours. Besides the guests of honor there were present Miss Maud Crouch, Miss Edna Crouch, Miss Naomi Crouch, Miss Clara Norman, Miss Ida Slater, Donald Stegman, Harold Stegman, John Buswell, Charles Edlison, Walter Madrell, Lowell Redfield, Chas. Stegman and Archie Gregg.

LE NOIR-OGG.

Invitations are out announcing the wedding of Miss Evelyn Le Noir, daughter of Mrs. Mary J. Le Noir, to Mr. Hugh Hard-ogg. It will take place at the residence of the young lady's mother, on Brush street, Wednesday evening, September 1, at 8:30 o'clock. Miss Le Noir is an accomplished musician. Mr. Ogg is a well known young business man of Oakland. For many years he has been associated as head salesman at J. Lancaster's clothing establishment. He is an old friend of the family will officiate.

GOING TO TEXAS.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Richardson Jr., whose wedding took place in this city recently, will leave on Thursday next for their future home in Austin, Tex., where Mr. Richardson is a wholesale hardware dealer. Mrs. Richardson was Miss Elizabeth Gage, daughter of Mr. Stephen Gage of 1305 Harrison street.

ENTERTAINED YOUTHS.

J. Conrad Rued entertained a number of his high school friends and the members of the Boys' Club at his home on Eighth street Friday evening. Domino whist was played and toward the close of the evening refreshments were served.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

CRELLIN-J. M. Jansen, S. F.; M. C. Chapman, Owen Moran, Suisun; A. Groves and wife, Oakland; Mr. and Mrs. David Blake, Miss Helen N. Blake, N. Y.; C. M. Cooper, Winters; Walter G. Read, Davisville; Geo. O. Ernest, Stockton; T. W. Wood, Suisun; H. Serrin, A. Y. Williams, S. F.

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LABOR DAY.

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On Monday the various labor organizations will celebrate Labor Day, beginning with a monster parade, to be followed by games, etc. The struggle for the recognition of labor dates back about twelve years, when some of the trades formed a society for their protection. Just about that time there was introduced to the people of this community a celebrated line of stylish union made clothing from the famous house of Hamilton Carhart, who is justly named "the father of union made clothing." The factory in Detroit, Michigan, is a model one and all goods here the label and are guaranteed to be the finest that can be produced. The Jones Clothing Company of 105 Broadway is the agent for this far-famed establishment in this county, and they are proud to show the goods of the Hamilton Carhart make. The display in one of their show windows is something that every union man should see.

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SAYS THAT HE WILL NOT INTERFERE WITH RIGHTS OF STUDENTS

Declares They Can Take the Place of Strikers if They So Desire.

BERKELEY, Aug. 31.—President Wheeler's answer to the labor unions in regard to the protest made against University students taking the place of the striking seceders on the water front is as follows:

"University of California, office of the President, W. H. Coy, President San Francisco Labor Council—My Dear Sir: Your very courteous letter of the 23d inst. is before me and has been read with much interest. I appreciate very highly the sympathy you express in the work and the purposes of the University, and I am obliged to you for the spirit of your communication that you would not wish the University so far to interfere with individual liberty as to deny young men struggling for the means of education the right to earn money, provided their time allows and the opportunity affords. A large proportion of our students are obliged to work their way, either in whole or in part. We take no cognizance of this, however, leaving it entirely to individual effort.

"My experience leads me to believe in these students who have to struggle for their education, and I should be grieved to see them eliminated from the list. It would mean that the University would lose its strongest and most hopeful men. It would be a direct discrimination against the sons of the poor and would involve indeed a direct perversion of the University, which is the very etel and hope of the poor. The most important instrument we possess for preventing the crystallization of society into fixed strata. Let us do nothing to hamper it in the fullest exercise of this its work. Very sincerely yours, "BRN. I. WHEELER."

BASEBALL GAME AT HAYWARDS TOMORROW.

HAYWARDS, Aug. 31.—Tomorrow the ball game between the Elks team of Oakland and the P. & H. will take place. A good game is promised, as both teams play fast ball. The P. & H.'s will not doubt give the Elks a hard contest in case the former win, which is very doubtful. The P. & H.'s defeated the Livermores last Sunday, which was their first game of the season. The men are all in good trim and work together in fine form.

Manager Zambresky says that he is now making arrangements for several more games which will take place in the near future.

PLEASANTON BAND GIVES AN OPEN AIR CONCERT.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 31.—The band boys' concert Wednesday evening was a great success. A large crowd was out to hear the music. The boys are rapidly improving.

PLEASANTON MAN IS GIVEN THIRTY DAYS.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 31.—John Devoe has been lodged in the County Jail by Constable Locke of Pleasanton, the man having been sentenced to thirty days in jail for misdemeanor.

VISITED AT PLEASANTON.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 31.—W. Murphy of San Francisco, accompanied by Mr. Carey of San Francisco, was in town for a few days this week.

WILL GO TO SCHOOL.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 31.—Miss Margie Hortensine left Monday for Livermore, where she will continue her studies at the High School after a few week's vacation.

C. RATHBORNE'S VISIT.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 31.—C. Rathbone of San Francisco is spending a few weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rathbone.

HOME FOR A VACATION.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 31.—Miss Dora Rowe, who has been in Oakland for some time, is home on a vacation.

GOES TO SACRAMENTO.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 31.—Mrs. J. Lewis is visiting friends in Sacramento this week.

DUBLIN VISITORS.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 31.—Miss Hannah Johnson and Miss H. Olson of Dublin were in town Wednesday.

KOLB'S CLERK LEAVES.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 31.—Mr. Magill, who was clerking for P. Kolb, left for San Francisco this week.

WENT TO LIVERMORE.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 31.—Mrs. Block and daughter Cecilia spent Wednesday in Livermore visiting friends.

GOES FOR HIS HEALTH.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 31.—Arthur Ralph left this morning for Alum Rock, where he is stopping for his health.

MRS. DIXON'S TRIP.

PLEASANTON, Aug. 31.—Mrs. Dixon spent a few days in Oakland recently.

Night School At Polytechnic Business College

Thorough courses in Bookkeeping, Short-hand, Typewriting, Penmanship, Arithmetic, Spelling, and MECHANICAL DRAWING. School in session from 7 to 9 o'clock, five evenings each week. Three months course \$15.00; six months \$25.00. An excellent opportunity for young men and women who cannot attend day school.

THREATENS TO STOP WORK ON TIDAL CANAL.

A. H. COHEN FILES AN OLD CLAIM AGAINST THE UNITED STATES.

Engineers Will Not Pay Any Attention to the Matter.

ALAMEDA, Aug. 31.—Engineer Heuer today announced that the work of digging the Tidal Canal will be commenced next week.

The Federal engineers have been threatened with an injunction on the part of Alfred H. Cohen, representing the A. A. Cohen estate, just east of High street on the Alameda side of the canal. When the land was condemned, A. A. Cohen held out for a big award, claiming that the Canal would injure his property. A decree was issued giving the Government possession, under the terms of which it paid \$20,000 into court.

All the landowners were paid, except Cohen. Before he settled his claim the clerk of the court absconded, taking Cohen's money with other funds in this possession. Now Cohen's son, Alfred H. Cohen comes to the front with the statement that his father, who is dead, never owned the land; that it belonged to his mother, who has not been paid for it, and he proposes to stop work by legal means until a settlement has been made.

Colonel Heuer will begin work next week, in spite of the threat.

The Government will not pay any attention to Cohen's claim.

MUST REMAIN HOME TO SAVE HIS LIFE.

Clerk John Russell of Alameda Will Have to Give Up His Position.

ALAMEDA, Aug. 31.—John A. Russell, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, is very ill at his home in Alameda and may never be able to return to his duties. Russell, who has held his official position for thirty-four years, was stricken with paralysis about two years ago. Although he partially regained his strength and has been at his desk up to two months ago, he has never recovered his former vigor.

While Mr. Russell's condition is not such as to cause immediate alarm, his friends insist on his retirement from the cares of his position. It is thought that his life will be considerably prolonged should he remain quietly at his home.

AGED MRS. APPEL HAS PASSED AWAY.

ALAMEDA, Aug. 31.—Last night Mrs. Mary Appel, an old lady who lived on Central avenue, died at her home. About two weeks ago Mrs. Appel, while sick in bed, had her house stripped of all its furniture except the bed on which she lay. The property was attached.

CITY TRUSTEES HOLD COMMITTEE MEETING.

ALAMEDA, Aug. 31.—The City Trustees held a committee meeting last night, and it was decided to pass the ordinance which will hand over to the Library Board the property on which the new Carnegie Library will be built.

ALAMEDA BOYS ARE STILL THE CHAMPIONS.

ALAMEDA, Aug. 31.—The Alameda oarsmen defeated the South Ends in the race at Astoria yesterday for the Pacific Coast championship.

AN ICE CREAM SOCIAL AT GOLDEN GATE.

GOLDEN GATE, Aug. 31.—An ice cream festival will be given at the residence of Mrs. K. V. Klinkner, No. 5591 San Pablo avenue, Golden Gate, Saturday afternoon and evening, September 1st, for the benefit of the G. G. M. E. Church.

A NEW COTTAGE.

FRUITVALE, Aug. 31.—A cottage is being built on the Derby tract, which is the first building to be constructed on that tract.

FRUITVALE IMPROVEMENTS.

FRUITVALE, Aug. 31.—The owners of the Postoffice building are having a new sewer system put in the building.

SUIT AGAINST KEATING ESTATE COMPROMISED.

The suit of Frank Casey to recover \$400 from the estate of the late Thomas E. Keating on account of medical services rendered by Dr. M. K. Guiman has been compromised for \$200. The defense claimed that Dr. Guiman received his fee from Keating on rates that were worth much more than the medical services rendered.

TEMPERANCE UNION.

An annual meeting of Oakland Union, W. C. T. U., will be held on Monday, September 2, at the First Baptist Church, Fourteenth and Brush streets, beginning at 10:30. This is to be an all day meeting. All members and friends of the union are cordially invited to be present. Basket lunch.

POLICE COURT.

Police Court, August 30.—F. T. McAuliffe, William Stevenson, Robert McKee, John Kehoe, John Goodman, drunk, judgment suspended; James Deacon, drunk, \$20 or 10 days; Otchichi Fujita, battery, continued to September 7 for trial; Fred H. Scott, assault to murder, for examination.

LABOR DAY

"THE LABORER IS WORTHY OF HIS HIRE"

We offer the Workingman our congratulations on his day of pleasure, recreation and reunion. The laborer is not only worthy of his hire, but he is worthy of these breaks in his toil, which mark America's appreciation of his high place in modern society.

There is no better day than Labor Day to repeat America's boast that her toiling millions are better housed, better clothed and better fed than those of any nation on earth. There is no better day than Labor Day to return thanks for such a blessing, and no better day for expressing the hope and the faith that every single year in this land of progress will add to the laborer's opportunities and welfare.

JONAS CLOTHING CO.

HEADQUARTERS FOR HAMILTON CARHARTT'S UNION-MADE CLOTHING 1065 BROADWAY NEAR TWELFTH "ALWAYS THE BEST AT POPULAR PRICES." SEE MONDAY'S AD.

LARGE PLANS FOR THE FAIR AT HAYWARDS.

FATHER LALLY WILL TELL OF HIS TRIP TO THE SOUTH SEAS.

Ladies Are Planning Some Novel Booths for the Entertainment.

HAYWARDS, Aug. 31.—Great preparations are being made by the ladies of the Catholic Church for their fair which will take place at the Haywards Opera House from October 22d to November 1st. The purpose of the fair is to raise money which will be used for the parochial home and the fitting up of the church.

The affair promises to be of the most complete of the year. Already plans have been made for a number of the features and booths.

One evening of the fair will be reserved for a talk from Father Lally on his trip to the South Sea Islands.

Some of the booths which have been arranged for and the ladies to be in charge are as follows:

Fancy Goods—Mrs. F. Winton, assisted by Misses N. Stanton and A. Cahill.

Fancy Booth—Mrs. Garwood, assisted by Mesdames P. Hoare, S. Lavalley, C. Cooper and J. Obermuller.

Fancy Booth—Miss Mary McKee, Welsh, Tillie Christine and Anne Wrede, assisted by the Misses McKee, M. M. Brown, A. Garcia, C. Almyon and the Nugent sisters.

Fish Pond—Misses Lawrence, Miss Soares.

Candy Stand—Misses Coite, Miss Bernard.

Portuguese Fancy Table—Mesdames Lemos, J. Gomes, P. Catan.

Refreshments—Mesdames C. Hoosen, E. Welsh, M. Mulverhill, L. Lavin, N. Dames and J. Martin.

ALL HAYWARDS IS WAITING FOR BATTLE.

Controversy Over Meat Promises to End in a Fist Fight.

HAYWARDS, Aug. 31.—A barbecue given some time ago by the Hermann Sons of this place is still being heard from and may yet end in a fight. It seems Adam May of this place furnished meat for the barbecue, which took place at Vackerburg, Caswell valley. Everything seemed to be going along without a hitch when suddenly "Potato Henry" and Martin Hezler raised a disturbance by declaring that the meat furnished by May was bull meat and as tough as wood.

May, who was present, took the matter up and an argument followed, which was broken into by friends on both sides pulling the two men apart.

"Potato Henry," who also had a say about the quality of the meat, was ignored by May, the latter having taken out his anger on Hezler, whom he declared was nearer his size. The row has been carried into town, and even now when the two men pass on the street things look promising for a "mixup."

RAPIDLY RECOVERING FROM OPERATION.

FRUITVALE, Aug. 31.—Chas. Lund, brother of Postmaster Lund, is rapidly recovering from an operation he underwent at the St. Mary's Hospital in San Francisco a short time ago. The young man is improving rapidly and will soon be around again.

IMPROVEMENTS IN THE MELROSE DISTRICT.

FRUITVALE, Aug. 31.—A small store will soon be erected near the new Melrose school and will no doubt be followed by a number of new cottages in that neighborhood. Work on the foundation of the store building has commenced.

J. BECKWITH MOVES ACROSS THE BAY.

FRUITVALE, Aug. 31.—J. Beckwith and family have moved to San Francisco, where they will make their home in the future. Mr. Beckwith is quite well known in this place, and his many friends will be surprised to hear of his sudden change of residence.

SQUIRRELS AS THIEVES.

NEWARK, Aug. 31.—Some parties in Newark have gone in quite extensively into drying fruit this season. That is with home facilities and for home use. After a time the quantity on the trays grew beautifully less, to their great wonderment. A watch set upon the premises revealed a squirrel industriously filling his pouch and packing the fruit away for future use.

RIVAL FOR THE BAKER.

NEWARK, Aug. 31.—Our local baker is to have a rival. Parties from San Jose will soon be delivering bread to customers, also cake and pastries of all kinds. A store is engaged in Centerville, where goods in that line will be kept for sale.

MRS. FORREST'S VISIT.

NEWARK, Aug. 31.—Mrs. Forrest, who lately returned from Alabama, has gone to her mother's home in Headburg. Mrs. Forrest was, while in Newark, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Walter Robie.

FROM TENT TO HOUSE.

NEWARK, Aug. 31.—The cottage which is to be occupied by the Briggs family is nearly completed. It will be much more comfortable this chilly weather than the tent they have been living in since the fire.

SOON THEY WILL MARRY.

NEWARK, Aug. 31.—Mr. Martell and Miss Dixie are soon to be married. Mr. Martell is to be congratulated on his good fortune in winning a very pretty and amiable young lady.

BASEBALL GAME.

NEWARK, Aug. 31.—The Newark won the game on Sunday last by the following score: Hicks Judd 3, Newark 13. Next Sunday the Reliance and Newark cross bats.

WITH THE STRIKERS.

NEWARK, Aug. 31.—E. T. Hampton of San Francisco visited friends in Newark Sunday last. Mr. Hampton is strongly in sympathy with the strikers.

TOO MUCH WORK.

NEWARK, Aug. 31.—Station Agent Terrell is handling great quantities of fruit this year and the cares thereof do not seem to benefit his health.

ON A HUNTING TRIP.

NEWARK, Aug. 31.—Manuel Simas is one of the party with Mr. Francis, Mr. Moses and others of Centerville who are in the hills on a hunting trip.

BUILT A NEW BOAT.

NEWARK, Aug. 31.—E. H. Thompson and others have just completed a small boat which is warranted to sail in a heavy dew or a light mist.

BAND WILL DANCE.

NEWARK, Aug. 31.—The Newark brass band will give a dance in Watkin's Hall on the night of September 20th.

MR. SMITH'S VISIT.

NEWARK, Aug. 31.—Mr. Smith of the dairy ranch visited San Francisco on Thursday.

GOES TO OAKLAND SCHOOL.

SUNOL GLEN, Aug. 31.—Miss Irene Cardona makes a daily trip to Oakland, where she attends the Oakland High School.

VISITING AT RANCH.

SUNOL GLEN, Aug. 31.—Joe Fredricks of San Francisco is sojourning at his ranch in the Valley.

CONVENTION WILL BE HELD AT SAN LEANDRO.

DELEGATES TO MEETING OF IMMANUDEO DO DIVINO ESPIRITU SANTO.

Lively Times Are Planned for Next Week in the Country.

SAN LEANDRO, Aug. 31.—Next Monday the State Convention of the Immande do Divino Espiritu, Santo will be held at the U. P. E. C. Hall.

Preparations are being made to entertain delegates from different parts of the State.

All next week will be made lively by the affair, which will last for several days.

The delegates will meet at 8:30 and will start for St. Leander's Church, where high mass will be celebrated.

At 1 o'clock the delegates will again convene for the transaction of business.

Tuesday will be devoted to business, while on Wednesday there will be an election and installation of officers to be followed by a banquet at the Estudillo House.

The following are the present grand officers: Grand President, T. F. Antonio; vice-president, A. M. Amaral; secretary, P. G. Leonarvo; treasurer, M. F. Silva; grand directors, A. M. Martins, M. D. Silva, M. S. Peinote, M. Henas, J. C. Mendoca.

TAMALE SUPPER.

ALVARADO, Aug. 31.—The local camp of W. of W. entertained the Centerville camp and drill teams Tuesday evening. A tamale supper was afterwards served.

VISITED AT ALVARADO.

ALVARADO, Aug. 31.—Mrs. Straub and daughter, Miss Gussie Straub, spent a few days of this week with Mr. and Mrs. A. May.

PETERMANN'S VISIT.

ALVARADO, Aug. 31.—Mr. and Mrs. George Petermann of Mt. Eden were in town one day this week.

WENT TO SAN FRANCISCO.

ALVARADO, Aug. 31.—Mrs. D. Jackson and Miss Clara Jackson spent Saturday and Sunday in San Francisco.

SHOEMAKERS' TRIP.

ALVARADO, Aug. 31.—August, the Haywards shoemaker, has again returned to Haywards, after doing business here for a few weeks.

THE PASTOR'S FATHER.

ALVARADO, Aug. 31.—The Rev. Mr. Gunn, father of the pastor, Rev. W. Chalmers Gunn, filled the pulpit in the Presbyterian Church Sunday.

WENT TO THE CIRCUS.

ALVARADO, Aug. 31.—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Scribner and children attended the circus in Oakland Saturday.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY.

ALVARADO, Aug. 31.—The Ladies' Aid Society met with Mrs. A. May Thursday.

RUSHED WITH WORK.

ALVARADO, Aug. 31.—The Alvarado Stone Works are rushed with work.

MRS. LEAL'S FRIENDS.

ALVARADO, Aug. 31.—Mr. and Mrs. S. Leal entertained a lady friend from San Francisco Saturday and Sunday.

DAUGHTER ARRIVES.

ALVARADO, Aug. 31.—Ed McLaughlin is the proud father of a little daughter.

MRS. JOHN OLSON'S FRIEND.

ALVARADO, Aug. 31.—Mrs. John Olson entertained a young lady from the city Thursday.

HIGH JINKS TONIGHT.

ALVARADO, Aug. 31.—The Athletic Club will hold high jinks in the Granger Pavilion this evening.

ALVARADO IS BOOMING.

ALVARADO, Aug. 31.—Now that the sugar mill has opened the town is booming.

VISITED HIS PARENTS.

ALVARADO, Aug. 31.—Allan Richmond spent Sunday with his parents here.

WM. LEE RETURNS.

ALVARADO, Aug. 31.—William Lee has returned to San Francisco.

DAMAGE WAS NOMINAL.

The Fire Department responded to a call on Hannu street, between A and B streets, at 3:40 yesterday morning. An out-house was discovered on fire. The damage was nominal.

BACON WILL CONTEST.

The Bacon will contest has been continued to September 6 for decision.

"ATTRACTIONS AT HOME"

Are what they call our ornamental gas fixtures, and if you don't believe it just come in and inspect our varied stock. We have some of the finest designs for the parlor, hall or dining room, and you will be surprised at our prices. With the approach of winter you may need something in the line of cooking or heating stoves—we have just what you want. Our line includes some of the very best makes, which we will guarantee to give satisfaction. Our ranges can not be equalled for baking and we will be pleased to show you some of the latest improvements which have just been added to them. When you want good plumbing E. R. Tutt will do it. Call and see us at 511 Thirteenth street, between Washington and Clay.

OAKLAND TRANSIT MAKES CHANGES IN ITS SYSTEM.

ALAMEDA CARS WILL NOW RUN IN A CIRCLE IN TWO CITIES.

Public is Given Notice as to the New Plans of the Corporation.

ELMHURST, Aug. 31.—The following notice which has been posted in the street cars for several days will go into effect tomorrow:

Alameda main line cars via Twenty-third avenue over present route of Haywards cars to Seventh and Washington streets, then by present route through Alameda. Cars will be operated upon present headway in both directions on both lines through Oakland and Alameda after 9 A. M., fifteen minutes headway.

Mt. View line will be operated on present headway between Cemetery and Seventh and Washington streets, after 9:15 P. M., twenty minute headway.

West Twelfth street cars, between Thirteenth avenue and Broadway, on fifteen minute headway, and between Broadway and Sixteenth street station on seven and one-half minute headway.

California Railway cars will operate between Fruitvale station and Leona Heights on hourly schedule, connecting with local trains at Fruitvale at fifty minutes past the hour. Passengers from Oakland for California Railway take Haywards car which leaves Seventh and Washington at 25 minutes past the hour and at California Railway Junction. Passengers from Alameda should take car leaving Park and Santa Clara avenue at 35 minutes past the hour and transfer to Haywards car at Twenty-third street. Passenger service from the tidal canal bridge will be discontinued.

Twenty-third avenue cars will be operated between East Twenty-seventh street and Fourteenth street on fifteen minute headway.

Transfers will be issued to and from Haywards to Alameda cars at Twenty-third avenue.

The switch connecting the Alameda and Haywards line at Twenty-third avenue is now being completed and will be operating when the above notice goes into effect tomorrow. The new plan will make the Alameda cars run in a continued circle.

SPRING VALLEY HAS CLOSED DOWN WORK TILL SPRING.

SUNOL GLEN, Aug. 31.—The Spring Valley Water Company have closed down their works here for the season. It is reported that work will not be resumed again until next spring.

WILL GIVE SOCIAL DANCE.

SUNOL GLEN, Aug. 31.—There is to be a social dance held at Day's Hall Friday evening, September 6th. A large crowd is expected as good music is guaranteed.

HAVE GONE HOME.

SUNOL GLEN, Aug. 31.—Mrs. J. Hillison and family of Banta, who have been visiting Mrs. J. Heddermark for the past two weeks, have returned to their home.

AT HARLAN RANCH.

SUNOL GLEN, Aug. 31.—George McHale and family of Elmhurst were visitors at the Harlan ranch this week.

OUT FROM CHICAGO.

SUNOL GLEN, Aug. 31.—Miss Talcott of Chicago is the guest of her niece, Miss Anna Bennett, at Rosedale.

TAKING A VACATION.

SUNOL GLEN, Aug. 31.—P. Bagwell of San Francisco is spending his vacation at the Hazel Glen Hotel.

SUNOL VISITOR.

SUNOL GLEN, Aug. 31.—Miss Weyman of San Francisco is spending a few days with Mrs. K. Thistlewaite.

WM. COLLIER'S TRIP.

SUNOL GLEN, Aug. 31.—William Collier spent Wednesday in San Francisco looking after business.

LADIES HOLD A BALL AT THE CITY HALL.

DEGREE OF HONOR GIVES SOCIAL EVENT AT SAN LEANDRO.

Many People in the Country Enjoy an Evening of Dancing.

SAN LEANDRO, Aug. 31.—A social and dance took place at the City Hall last night, and was a great success.

Certain delegates from different parts of the San Leandro Lodge, Degree of Honor, No. 704. The ladies worked hard to make the affair a success and succeeded beyond their expectations.

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GENTLEMAN GEORGE'S PRISON EXPERIENCE

To be sick and in prison is a condition of woe, calling for human compassion; but to be penniless and in prison, believe me, who have endured both states, is far worse. This worse state was mine during the long days and the longer nights while I awaited trial in jail; but not a whit of compassion did I experience save from my own poor self. Of this, no doubt, there was an abundance; but from the detective who brought me down and the jailer who held me, to the lowest hobo among my associates, I met with nothing but contempt and dislike.

It was my aristocratic bearing that did it; a splendid accessory to a daring imposition, but mere buckram and tinsel that should be cast aside when the actor leaves the stage and faces the evils of life, says an extract from the notebook of Gentleman George in the New York Sun. An air of superiority is all very well if properly backed; but when you have the appearance, which must needs be hateful, without the means to enforce respect, then any such assumption is resented as a double indignity. My bearing naturally enough, aroused expectation at the all. The keepers looked for tips, the prisoners for gratuities (and the odds and ends of high living). Hence, when rumor flew that I had not one cent in the office, a universal snarl arose, and none was so poor as to do my honor.

I don't say that I myself was not much to blame for the abuse I received. There is a mental and physical paralysis that affects a luxury lover

suddenly deprived of money, which renders him obnoxious. Had I but unbent to individuals while maintaining my station generally, had I but dropped a jest here or a kind word there, I would have been repaid a hundred-fold for I truly believe that there are no persons so quick to gratitude, so appreciative of an expression of equality, which they themselves would be the first to deny if only you were so good as to assert it, as that heterogeneous collection of the vicious and unfortunate with all the numberless shades and blends of either or both known as the criminal classes.

Experience Failed to Teach.

But, thus far, I had not been taught by experience to "bow my crested head and tame my heart of fire" in time of trouble. When Smithers and I were together the more hardpressed we became the more arrogant and dictatorial I grew. His had been the task to stimulate me, as it were, for an adventure, by the application of ready money; when feeling that gentle, assuring pressure in my waistcoat pocket. I was straightway Gentleman George once more, the pet of the society on which I so successfully preyed.

But, alas, there was no Smithers to equalize conditions to my haughty moods. I had betrayed my friend and follower; I had let him lie uncared for in prison; and now his fate was mine, and mine the crust he had been left to gnaw. As the day of trial drew near not the least of my dreams was the thought that I might be sentenced to the very place where he was nursing his deep and dark revenge against me.

I suppose that persons unfamiliar with the sporting life think that a man, pursuing his career for years,

must have reckoned on conviction and imprisonment as a necessary risk, likely to befall. Nothing could be farther from the truth in my case. With every success came a surer sense of immunity. Detection and punishment for the fresh, the brash, the stupid, the unheeding, but as far removed from an all-around man of the world, like Gentleman George Ringgold, as were the unkempt beard, the mussed clothing, the uncleanness which were their doom. Now, these evidences of failure were mine; while over me loomed the incredible, the impossible, a term of penal servitude.

I had, indeed, sometimes pictured myself on trial, and a highly attractive scene I had imagined, as scrupulously groomed, fashionably attired, and attended by the shrewdest lawyers, I appeared before the court. There were grand ladies present, crowding to see so distinguished and gallant a defendant; there were gentlemen sports galore, anxious to get fine points from my discomfiture of the prosecution. I ridiculed the assumptions of the people with keen wit; I overthrew their positions with resistless logic; and when it was all over and I was triumphantly acquitted I nonchalantly strolled away, the idol of all beholders, while bailiffs and deputies whispered together. "He's a thoroughbred, he is; you can't down him. They say he paid Sparks and Scratch \$5,000 to take the case and has got a roll of centuries left over."

AMUSEMENT FOR THE RIFRAFF

How different, how dreadfully different, the reality! On the first day of the term I was bundled down to court in the Black Maria with all the malodorous riffraff who make up a jail delivery, and who seemed vastly amused

that I should be the most disreputable looking of them all.

The proceedings were brief. At the first glance I recognized the Judge. He was a youngish man, recently elected and well spoken of now, but, like many another limb of the law, he had his fling; and the last time I had seen him was one evening, five years before, when, with the assistance of Smithers and a marked deck, I left him as plucked a pigeon as was ever hung up in the market.

Did he recognize me in turn? It was hard to tell; but his look was quizzical when he inquired:

"Grantly, is it? Well, then, Grantly, what do you say? Have you a lawyer or shall I assign one to you?"

I thought rapidly. If I stood trial, conviction was inevitable; while with every phase of the proceeding the danger of being identified as Gentleman George Ringgold, so greatly and widely in demand by the police, would increase. With a touch of my old manner, which must have ill-accorded with my rags and scraggy beard, I looked over the youthful aspirants from whom an assignment must be made.

"No, your honor," I answered. "While I must submit to my fate, I hardly care to assist in the obsequies. I plead guilty."

The Judge smiled, with the same quizzical expression. If he did not recognize me, that good fellowship, which seems to cling to those once on the turf, protected me from his knowledge. He muttered a few words and scratched on the page before him.

"Come, Jack," said the bailiff at my arm, at the same time remarking to his partner: "The snoozer got off light," and the next moment I was hustled out of court under sentence of five

years at hard labor.

Fought for His Life.

What did make a difference was that this wild man had me by the throat, fairly choking my life away. I fought back, desperately, gaining strength from terror, and as I struggled I screamed. Instantly there was pandemonium in the hall. The convicts, acutely sensitive to every sound, realized just what was occurring and urged us on with cat calls and blasphemous advice, raising a horrid clamor the while with their tins against the gratings.

There was the rapid patter of slipped feet. Back shot the bolt; they key turned, the grating banged open. A half dozen keepers rushed in to fling us apart out on the gallery down the stairs over to the east wing and into two separate dark cells, quicker than pen can describe. I must say I was glad to see them, though from their abuse and cuffs the pleasure was not reciprocal. Welcome, too was the cool, damp blackness of the cell as I lay stretched on its flagstone floor. At least I was safe, at least I was alone, and as for the darkness, do you know a prison, while always gloomy, is never dark. The gas jets flare the live-long night on the whitewashed walls surrounding the cells, keeping the dismal reality ever before the eyes and giving the imagination no chance to recall better days. And so, of course, this darkness, made utter by a blind door, was grateful.

How inscrutable is the action of the mind when forced back on itself for sustenance! Suddenly I recalled a day long ago, when I was a boy at school, detected in some fault and kept in during recess for punishment. The master paced the aisle on which I sat,

hard," I had not thought of these and each time he passed, solemnly quoted "The way of the transgressor is words since then, yet now they came back to me. I saw them in the silence. Even when first uttered, I had disregarded them; for the master was a lady-legged little runt, who was far from a saint himself. Yet, now they were with me: the only living sight and sound. Strange, indeed, wasn't it?

Suicide of His Cellmate.

At last there was a break in this dreful reiteration. At the deputy's command all blinking and trembling, I came out into the light.

"Well, you do look like the last run of shad," he exclaimed, most unjustly. "It isn't pleasant, is it, to be locked up with your past. Now I've got just one word to say to you two blocks. If you let another peep out of you, I'll put you down for 30 days instead of twenty-four hours, see?"

We did see. That night, my cellmate and I exchanged but a single look, and then, without a word, the crept into his bunk, and I into mine. I was soon asleep. Waking with a start, I saw those great brogans swinging in mid-air, and now and again knocking against the bunk!

The brogans I saw, and more—a slight that sent me clinging to the bars and crying piteously for help. They came, the alert keepers and cut down the madman's corpse from the upper gas-pipe rod on which he had hanged himself, and, faintly appreciating my terror, they took me to the flagging and locked me in the detention cell by myself. And again those words reverberated through my mind, "The way of the transgressor is hard."

The next morning was Sunday and its bright light and the presence of all

the men in their beds confronted me. So, too, did the matter-of-fact way in which the news of the tragedy was received.

"Hello, Jack," one called out. I hear as how that bughouse Dutchman scooped himself."

"Yes," returned another, "and a good job, too." Such was my cellmate's epitaph; so why should I care?

"The prison world that morning seemed far more concerned with the dolours of one of its heroes. Slippery Bill, to wit, a personage I had never seen, but of whose praises for sickness I long since had availed. As head of the whitewash gang, he had just rendered signal service in putting out a fire in the bakeshop, and, apparently, was booked for a reward."

Smithers Welcomes George Home. "Slippery won't do a thing to the old man's leg but pull it," remarked one.

"He's good for ospital ratuns for the rest of his bit," replied another; nor was there any ill feeling over his luck. As I turned away, impatient of hearing such jargon, the warden, the old man himself, opened the grating and motioned me out.

"Slippery Bill has asked to have you bunk with him," he explained.

I followed, half-fearing, to the second tier, the bankers' row, the pick of the prison, sunshiny and clean; for the higher up you go, the worse the gloom and the dirt.

On the upper-bunk, gaudy with a red coverlid, reclined a man, all propped up, with pillows, smoking a corn-cob pipe, as he picked out "Believe me if all those endearing young charms" on a very creditable banjo of prison manufacture.

"Welcome home, Jarge," he said. It was Smithers!—Inter-Ocean.

CRISPI'S THREE WIVES GREATLY INFLUENCED HIS CAREER

Francesco Crispi, the last of the great leaders of the Italian revolution to pass from the stage, was not the first person who both made history and married his laurels. A laundress flourished at the court of the first Napoleon, and the woman of the wash-tub has figured not infrequently in Continental politics. The loves of Crispi were as romantic as his life story. They made and marred him. They began in the little village of Ribera, in Sicily, where he was born, as picturesquely as his public career began. Crispi disappointed his family from the first. Their hopes lay in a magistracy for him, and his decision was to become an advocate.

At 18 he sought to make a marriage with a young woman of his own middle class station. It is said he entered no very serious objection. Indeed, he thought very little about it. Marriage was not, then, to the warm-blooded Sicilian, a very important step. Most young men of his acquaintance married between the ages of 16 and 20, and he was quite indifferent to the selection made for him. He did not doubt the wisdom of his parents' choice.

Being sent to the University of Palermo, however, Crispi shattered family plans without a thought. For in Palermo he met his first love, Rosina Sciarra, a beautiful girl of 14, the daughter of a widow who had three other daughters and a son. Crispi might have selected any one of the sisters of Rosina as the object of his affection, for they were equally pretty, and, indeed, it afterward transpired another held many attractions for the young man. Rosina's mother was poor. It was as a lodger in her house

that his affection for Rosina ripened, and when Crispi's father heard of the affair he ordered the young man home.

He went, reluctantly, and told of the charms of Rosina. The earlier engagement was presented and plans for the wedding hastened. Then the cholera broke out in Palermo. Rosina wrote to young Crispi. The mother and two sisters were dead of the plague and the brother was dying. Crispi promptly borrowed a horse and set out for Palermo. The horse proved to be a fortunate possession. He sold it to a man in Palermo and the small sum aided him in nursing Rosina and her remaining sister back to life.

He went home a year later, accompanied by Rosina, now his wife, and her sister. The Crispi household bowed to the inevitable and forgiveness was forthcoming, whereupon the three went to Ribera. The next news was of Rosina's death, and Crispi sought the hand of her sister. Instead of accepting him she entered a convent. She survived him, and is at present in her retreat. During his years of political intrigue she was his well wisher.

At 20 Crispi came threateningly to the front of the official class to which he had belonged by his opposition of one of the King's arbitrary taxes. Sicily was then still seething with the revolution of the decade before. Crispi wrote and talked. Small, agile, undersized, as described by a writer of the time, he became known to all the countryside, adroitly filling his paper with a discussion of the Hellenic revolution in which every reader substituted Bourbon for Turk and Sicily for Greece. For ten years he was the center of plot and conspiracy and when, in 1848, the storm broke, he was in the thick of it. The army was too much for the barricades and he was imprisoned.

Imprisonment, it chanced, meant matrimony for him, and the last enslavement outlasted by any years his brief prison experience and a great many other experiences. His jailer's niece, who washed clothes for political prisoners, made visits but too frequent to his cell, and one night they left together and sought Malta. Her name was Rosalie Montmasson.

They were married there by an alleged Jesuit (1854) and the union with the young woman who did his washing turned out much as such unions have time out of mind. For eight or ten wandering years they agreed well enough. She came and went on his revolutionary errands, carried dispatches, knew the secrets of conspiracies, and being pretty, easy, and of the present look and bearing, served all the purposes of a conspirator's wife in a conspiring period.

Possibly the marriage was a fortunate one. It certainly resulted in Crispi's advancement, and certainly none but his wife knew the far-reaching game he was playing. He refused to be led by Cavour and Mazzini, but he worked with both, shared in the councils of both, and prepared for both a surprise. Italy in 1859 was half won. Northern Italy was free. Southern Italy, his Italy, was untouched. Forty years ago the man who died in Italy but recently was just turned 40. Exile, wandering, and penury, grind of tutoring, lack, and peril had turned his black hair gray. He shaved his chin, provided himself with neat side whiskers, adopted a Spanish accent, and in 1859 went from end to end of Sicily as Pareiz, an Argentine merchant just returned and visiting his native island after years of absence.

When he left the train was laid and the island organized from end to end. There was a store of guns and bombs, of men and munitions. It needed but

a touch for an explosion. The world has ceased to expect another. Napoleon III had no desire to see all Italy free. Crispi sought Garibaldi sulking on his island, roused him, brought together a thousand men, the famous thousand "Mille."

They embarked in two or three crazy vessels sailed by a Dupont, one the Delaware family, and by night, with risks like that of a romance, landed in Sicily. An English fleet, obligingly turned out much as such unions have time out of mind. For eight or ten wandering years they agreed well enough. She came and went on his revolutionary errands, carried dispatches, knew the secrets of conspiracies, and being pretty, easy, and of the present look and bearing, served all the purposes of a conspirator's wife in a conspiring period.

And his washerwoman wife was leaning her reddened elbows on the table at state dinners, doing her best by putting more color into her clothes and more diamonds into her hands which to be a great lady. Crispi at this time represented the extreme Radical, atheistic revolutionary view. Twenty-five years later, when he unveiled a monument to this expedition at Genoa, he startled all Radical Italy by expressing a belief in God and an overruling Providence. The years had brought much.

Crispi's Last Love.

At 40 Crispi had become one of the great men of the new kingdom. With his wife, with whom he had shared the crusts of adversity, he shared the wealth of his great practice in Naples. There was then no apparent infelicity. The jailer's niece had not been transformed into a great lady. For ten years more their lives were amiable. He became the father of a boy. Then came another turning point in his career. He dropped law to return to public life—and at the same time he

dropped his wife for a Neapolitan woman of good birth and high aspirations.

In the years between 1859 and 1878, during which Crispi rose surely and steadily until he became a fixed power in the ministry, this new love was strong upon him. He did not at once relinquish the old. In 1878, when he became Minister of the Interior, he still hesitated to rid himself of the niece of the jailer, although then living detachedly and above board with his mistress, who had borne him a daughter. The legal wife was at this time described as "loose, homely and vulgar." The object of his infatuation was the opposite, well-bred, refined and sincere.

Many strange tales were told of the low-born Rosalie after Crispi became socially as well as politically prominent. She spent money right and left in her efforts to play the grand lady. She spent more than her husband could earn or borrow. Debt followed. It is said that she had a passion for animals and filled her house with cats, dogs, birds and white mice. One evening Crispi, on coming home, found seven new green silk gowns, just brought from the dressmakers, spread over seven chairs in his parlor, and on every gown lay a cat or a dog. She also developed a jealous disposition and quarrels were frequent, with, sometimes, violent scenes in public. Thus the statesman turned from wife to mistress for consolation.

When the breaking point came he decided to marry his mistress in order to legalize her offspring, for he adored the girl as he almost despised the son by his laundress wife. The son had proved some thing of a trial. He was clapped into a reformatory because he stole a Countess' jewels and sold his father's private papers to his political enemies. Crispi rebelled. He

used a legal flaw in his first marriage and married his mistress, Mme. Filomena.

When his daughter was married she was confirmed by a cardinal and was married by her uncle, the bishop, and by some singular alchemy of politics Crispi, who then for some dozen years had been receiving only \$5,000 a year as Minister, settled on her an income of \$6,000 a year and property in Sicily which yielded \$2,000 more and all in a charming house in Naples, the last the fruit of his earlier practices.

The third love, and the last, realized her social ambitions. Although Crispi lived the simplest of lives, she entertained on a prodigious scale and eventually, it has been rumored, to his undoing. In the bank scandals that carried Crispi out of public life much was hinted at that was unfavorable to his wife.

It had been the practice of most Italian politicians to borrow money from banks for "election expenses," and like all "election expenses" a certain share remained in the pockets of those who collected it. When the Bank of Naples failed, it was found that Crispi had done this with one of its branches, Bologna. A long investigation followed, which proved beyond a doubt that in a political crisis this man who had dared so much in his youth had shared, condoned and protected peculations of a bank agent who had loaned money freely to the Prime Minister.

Then came the ugly rumors that Mme. Crispi had profited even more than her husband. The revelation forced him to retire from public life four years ago, although he faced his accusers and in a speech of fire was able to show that his heart had been in the right place if his hands had not, so far as Italy was concerned. The rumors of Mme. Crispi's part were never substantiated. Crispi's speech had stopped the spread of scandal in her direction.

The last wife of Crispi was "officially" the cousin of Queen Margherita, and before the last crash enjoyed many royal privileges, being entitled to remain seated in the royal presence and to be publicly saluted with a kiss from her majesty. She surrounded herself with all the

notables of Italy, and her receptions were attended by the most distinguished people in the kingdom.

She did not, however, come securely into royal favor without a great effort. Crispi had contracted marriage with her, ignoring the second wife. One day an Italian newspaper published, without comment, a document that attracted attention all over Italy. It was an alleged copy of the marriage certificate of the statesman to Rosalie Montmasson, and it appeared that he had been regularly and legally married to a woman who was still living on a pension from him at Malta. The scandal shook the kingdom, and although Crispi denounced the story as a slander it had its effect.

The Queen refused to appear at any reception or ceremony he attended. He was then president of the Chamber of Deputies and Minister of the Interior. The breach became so great that he resigned his portfolio. On being taxed with bigamy Crispi explained that he thought when he married Rosalie she became his legal wife but that after she developed bad habits a friend had told him to his "extreme surprise" that the marriage was illegal, having taken place in Paris and was not, therefore, an "Italian marriage." Upon this Crispi's enemies pointed out that he was one of the best lawyers in Italy.

The subsequent death of the second wife somewhat relieved the situation, although the Queen had frowned on his ingenious "explanation." The statesman's power in Italy became greater and in spite of the royal hostility he became president of the Council and Minister of Foreign Affairs. The new wife worked indefatigably for recognition. The crisis came when Crispi was invited to a state dinner, his wife being ignored. It is said he went straight to the palace and spoke as follows to the chamberlain:

"Tell her majesty that if, by this evening, Mme. Crispi is not treated like the wives of the other Ministers, the republic will be proclaimed in Italy within twenty-four hours."

Mme. Crispi received the invitation. Afterward, it is said, she completely won the Queen over by her tact and charm. At the time of Crispi's death Mme. Crispi was 55 years of age.

COSTUMES OF SHOWY WOMEN

"The woman that I dread most to design gowns for," said an artist who composes costumes for New York women to the New York Sun, "is the one who looks as though she was built for the center of the stage. I refer to the showy looking, large, often opulently charming woman with pronounced individuality. There are any number of such types in fashionable society here and abroad, as well as on the stage.

According to their vivid coloring, exuberance of temperament, abundant vitality, and over-enthusiasm, this feminine type can only be classed as the physically showy. It is found in the very highest and the lowest walks of life. It is not the typical, aristocratic type, yet queens possess it when they are most queenly, and dairy maids are also endowed with the plenitude of vital charm which expresses itself so aggressively. To gown such a woman smartly is an undertaking. Rarely can she be trusted to choose her own frocks or hats. Her temperament is too exuberant."

The artist has her studio off Fifth avenue. Unlike other studios where real work is accomplished, it is luxuriously furnished and hung with pictures of beautiful women in beautiful gowns. There are photographs and water colors showing different types of women. All are handsomely gown-

ed according to the mode, yet with nothing suggesting a fashion plate in their outlines.

"Show women are not necessarily large, although they incline to height and plumpness," the artist continued. They are rarely thin. A very thin woman, of even such a pronounced type as Yvette Guilbert, cannot be classed thus, for despite Mme. Guilbert's wonderful red hair her skin is white and opaque. She is posturing in an impressionistic way, but she is not vivid with warm tints of flesh.

Complexion is Important.

"Women of the pronounced type to which I refer require far more careful study from tailor, milliner, and modiste and a much more adept maid than the woman of less aggressive beauty. Blondes are more apt to be of this vivid type than brunettes, that is to say, there are more of them, but the brunette type is by far more striking. Some large, red-haired women are almost spectacular, physically. Women with fresh complexions and snow-white hair will also command attention, and this nowadays is the very last result that a woman of taste aspires to.

"When the showy woman is not beautiful, which is often the case, she is confronted with a still more serious problem. Many of these women make themselves positively dowdy in their

attempts to subdue their natural tendencies toward what is known on the stage as a good presence.

"One of my clients, who is known as a great beauty, never purchases or leaves an order unless I accompany her or write out ideas, that are really restrictions, as to her orders. When she came to me she was in distress. She had wardrobe full of costumes, all much too gorgeous for her naturally resplendent type of form and color. She was and is a Brunnhilde, a modern goddess, but now she is a well-dressed goddess, suggesting in her gowns an exquisitely fine taste in dress. This she does not possess naturally. Although educated to a degree, she has some strain of the savage in her which calls for glitter and color and even sound. She told me once she only liked her rope of pearls for the musical way in which they clashed when she walked.

"Thin, pale women with colorless, dead-looking hair are often envious of these strong and physically handsome women; but the slender, paler woman can dress without one-quarter the thought that the goddess woman must give to every detail of costume and of toilet. If it were the fashion to wear draperies instead of gowns the goddess would have the advantage, but she has to be careful when it comes to picking out her frocks to secure neut-

ral tintings, severe lines, and quiet styles in all the small belongings as well as the more important items of her outfitting.

Simple Hair Dressing Better.

"She must affect simple hairdressing and absolutely no fluffy effects. The showy woman who attempts to be fluffy—and many such women do so ignorantly—produces an unpleasant effect, suggestive of the circus ring, while her thinner sister may revel in chiffon ruffles, rosettes, flowers, garlands, and sash ends innumerable.

"Who has not observed with sorrow the large woman who persists in wearing French heels in the street? If reality she would never wear them, for if she be tall, and she usually is, she should sedulously avoid everything that may add to her height. At the opera or in evening dress she may dare an algrate, for these opulently endowed women seem to fit into resplendent backgrounds.

"I always advise against the Louis heels in every case. For street wear I consider them freakish and in wretched taste, but there are some little women who value the additional inches they give to the stature and there are others positively addicted to the French heel. They refuse to wear any other, because the flat heel makes the foot look larger.

"Gowns on tailor lines are the only

sort that large women should wear in the street. The thin waists showing the shoulders through and the ribbon-run underwaist are not in strictly good taste for any woman's street wear, but in the torrid days of summer in town it is difficult to condemn them. But the large woman, the showy woman, must not, cannot, wear them outside the limits of her home.

"I have seen a woman on a hot day in summer enter a fashionable Fifth avenue restaurant for luncheon wearing a white cloth gown, a white felt sombrero and a red golf coat. She was not especially young, not very pretty, but she was slim, pale and bloodless and had mouse-colored hair and eyes. Her coloring made it possible for her to carry off these striking garments with distinction. A woman vivid of complexion and a large build with striking tinting of eyes and hair would have suggested a comic opera poster in such a rig.

Caution and Hats.

"Hats are always difficult for the women with height, weight, and color. She must be cautious in this matter to the point of cowardice. Few flares and few feathers and flowers, except when the last are closely massed with much tulle, and always tending to dark tints. No fluttering chiffon strings or perky pompons. No veils with dots like ebony divines for the modern Brun-

hilde. She must be tautly rigged as a yacht, ready to take every breeze without a loose end fluttering.

"One obstacle that I have to contend with in designing for the showy woman is her own temperament. Invariably, this feminine type is a luxurious, splendor-loving creature, with tastes for Oriental plenitude in costuming to an extent that is almost barbaric. She craves crimsons, rose, and purple, and gold, rich laces, and furs. This taste has to be contended with and overcome; she must be tuned to grays and somber blacks and serious whites.

"There is one tall, superbly broad-shouldered young woman essentially showy in a physical way, the wife of an artist, who has brought her dressing down to admirable tone and exquisite lines, although she was at first given to striking effects, though so daintily and splendidly carried out that she could easily have made them a fashion. But very few women can dare in this way.

"Another young beauty is noted for her exuberantly rich style of dressing, but this is a fault of youth that experience soon lessens, if it does not cure. The wife of a millionaire has practically been taught how to dress from the very primer of color."

VERY PRECISE.

The school teacher was chaffing the

young doctor over the card table one evening not so very long ago about his attentions to the young woman in the next block.

"I've never seen her except at a distance," said the school teacher, "but she struck me as being very pretty. Is she?"

"Quite pretty, I should say," answered the doctor, suddenly looking as if he had just come home from a three days' yachting trip.

"They say," went on the school ma'am, "that her eyes spoil her. She's cross-eyed, isn't she?"

"Well," said the doctor, hesitatingly, "I should hardly call the peculiarity of her organs of vision that. She—she—well, she has not what one would call mutual eyes."—Washington Post.

A BIT OF STRATEGY.

Elder Sister—Mr. Billmore and you were in the parlor a long time last night, but I don't suppose you used much gas.

Younger Sister—The reason you didn't see any burning, Emily, was because Harold carelessly hung his hat on the door knob.—Chicago Tribune.

UNCLE ELI'S FABLES.

The Story of the Traveler and the Lying Guidepost.

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One day a traveler who had journeyed from afar and was footsore and weary reached a crossroads and anxiously looked up at the guidepost to see how far he yet must journey to reach his destination.

"What, still ten miles to Dawsonville," he exclaimed as he read the legend. "Guidepost, thou art a base



THE TRAVELER SURPRISED.
Har, and, that other men may not be deceived by thee, I will tear thee down!"

He had seized the post to uproot it when a second traveler appeared and cried out:

"Ah, man, but what hast happened, and what wouldst thou do?"

"This guidepost hath led to me, and I wouldst destroy it," was the reply. "It saith ten miles to Dawsonville, whilst I know the true distance to be but eight."

"But, on the other hand, it saith the distance to Hunker's Ferry is but five miles, whilst I know the true distance to be seven. Let us pass on together and stop at Cedar Hill, which is but four miles to the east and where the first building we come to is a saloon."

Moral.—There is always an offset for every situation.

He Was Strong on Inference.
"You see," said the man with the bulging forehead and prominent nose, "if people would only be guided more by inference it would save lots of useless trouble."

"I don't understand you," said the man who had been tickling a pimple on his chin.

"Why, for instance, I passed a frozen pond the other day. On the ice I saw a pair of skates, a boy's cap and a mitten. Out in the middle of the pond the ice had broken. Did I jump to the conclusion that a boy had been drowned and raise a great hullabaloo about it?"

"Of course you did or else you ought to be prosecuted. You don't mean to say you passed on and said nothing?"

"I do," calmly replied the man of the forehead. "I inferred instead of jumping to a false conclusion."

"But you had to infer that the boy was under the ice," protested the other.

"Not a bit of it. If the boy had fallen in the skates and cap and mitten would have gone with him. I simply inferred that he had seen a rabbit and given chase. I was right too. In the course of five minutes I met him on the road."

"Oh, you did? And maybe you inferred something else?"

"Of course I did. As he had the nose-bleed I inferred that he had fallen over a log in the chase and got lost, and he admitted that such was the case."

No Occasion.
"In proof of the assertion that the world is growing better," remarked Optima, "let me mention the fact that we never find stones in the coffee we buy at the grocery stores nowadays."

"No," growled Pessim. "The reason for that is that most persons who buy coffee have it ground when they buy it. The grocers pick out the stones for fear of ruining their mills. The world is growing more enlightened in its selfishness; that's all."—Chicago Tribune.

Day For a Good Cry.
"Are you going to meet me down town today for luncheon?" the man inquired of his wife before starting for the office.

"No," she replied cheerily; "this, you know, is my day for repairing to my room to have a good cry."

And yet it is said that the sex is lacking in deliberation.—Washington Post.

Turn About.
"You were so respectful to that merchant about two weeks ago, and you acted so overbearing this morning. What caused the change?"

"Two weeks ago I had to be respectful in order to get credit, and now he has to be respectful in order to get the money."—Indianapolis Sun.

Necessary.
Towne—Subbubs has bought a house boat.
Browne—The idea! I don't see how he can afford a luxury like that.

Towne—Luxury? It's a necessity. He has to use it very frequently to get from the house to the station.—Philadelphia Press.

Her Limit.
"Is your wife a good cook?" asked somebody of the young man who had recently married a Vassar graduate.

"Well," replied the proud young husband, "she can boil water without burning it."—Somerville Journal.

The Savage Bachelor.
"What is the difference between raisins and reasons?" asked the fool funny boarder.

"A woman can appreciate raisins," said the savage bachelor.—Indianapolis Press.

TOOK THE NEXT BEST THING.
A good story is told of a Scottish soldier at Bloemfontein, who was just recovering from an attack of enteric. One day he suggested to the doctor who called to see him that he would be grateful for a wee drapple. "No, no," said the doctor. "Do you know that your stomach is in such an ulcerated condition that a spoonful of whisky would kill you?"

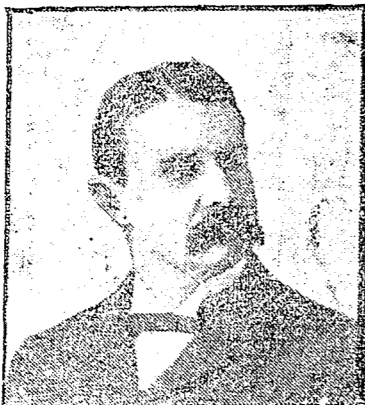
"Aweel, sir," replied the patient. "I must just do without it; but, doctor, just

YERKES OF KENTUCKY.

President McKinley's Choice For Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

When Joseph H. Manley of Maine recently refused the office of commissioner of internal revenue, the friends of John W. Yerkes became very active in presenting his name to the president, who thereupon nominated him for the office. They contended, with justice, that Mr. Yerkes was well fitted for the office and, from a partisan point of view, deserved it for his services to the Republican party in Kentucky.

Mr. Yerkes is a Kentuckian by birth, education and inclination. His father, the Rev. Dr. Stephen Yerkes, was president of Center college, at Danville, Ky. John W. Yerkes was born at Lexington in 1854 and received his education in his father's college, being graduated in 1873. He then studied law, practicing at Danville, where he has always lived. Like most Kentuckians, he has always taken an active interest in politics and has supported the Republican party. Mr. Yerkes has never held elective office, though often urged to run. He was made chairman of the state Republican committee and ran the campaign of 1896. He has also



From a recent photo.
JOHN W. YERKES.

been a national committeeman from Kentucky. In 1897 he was appointed collector of internal revenue for the Eighth Kentucky district and has gained valuable experience in that office.

When the Kentucky Republicans sought a candidate last summer to oppose the re-election of Governor Beckham, they hit upon Mr. Yerkes as the best available man, and he made a strong fight, though defeated.

Mr. Yerkes is a man of broad culture, and his home, an old fashioned mansion at Danville, is noted for its hospitality. Mr. Yerkes is married and has two children, a son and a daughter.

An Awkward Moment.
A bride and bridegroom set out gallantly on their wedding journey from a country town to the continent.

Showers of rice blessings fell upon them, and solid luck in the form of shoes and slippers followed them.

They pushed in London long enough to buy a present for a little sister whom the bride had left at home.

The happy woman, looking as brave and unbridled as possible, inspected half the articles in the shop and finally selected a dainty thing in silver and asked that it should be sent to her hotel.

The shopman wrapped up the object and, turning, pencil in hand, inquired of the bride:

"What name, please?"

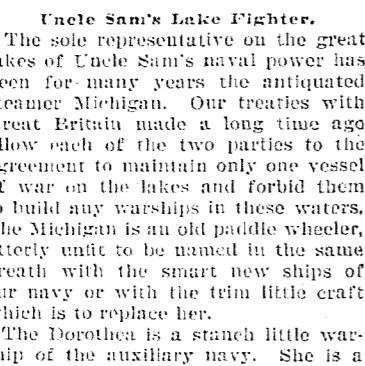
Alas for the vanity of human pride and human bravery! The little bride, who appeared so self possessed when no questions were asked her, blushed in confusion as her name came to her mind, stammered and finally, turning pleadingly to her husband, said:

"You tell him, dear!"—London Tit-Bits.

Uncle Sam's Lake Fighter.
The sole representative on the great lakes of Uncle Sam's naval power has been for many years the antiquated steamer Michigan. Our treaties with Great Britain made a long time ago allow each of the two parties to the agreement to maintain only one vessel of war on the lakes and forbid them to build any warships in these waters.

The Michigan is an old paddle wheeler, utterly unfit to be named in the same breath with the smart new ships of our navy or with the trim little craft which is to replace her.

The Dorothea is a snatch little warship of the auxiliary navy. She is a



converted yacht, one of the vessels bought by the government during the war with Spain. She is built of steel, of 504 tons displacement, and has fine engines, with a speed of 14 knots an hour. Her armament consists of 20 modern guns and torpedo tubes, which will give to the naval militia of the lake states a much needed and longed for opportunity for practice.

The Dorothea was one of the best yachts purchased by the government in 1898. She was used at that time to patrol the Florida coast, and Admiral Sampson used her to advantage in the vicinity of Key West. She lay for some time at the League Island navy yard, and it was thought that she would be sent to the Asiatic station.

come up close to me." The doctor obliged.

"Ah, doctor," said the soldier, sighing, contentedly, "your breany's verra refreshing!"—Scottish American.

Declined the Honor.
"Erkins," said Colonel Hawththunder, "you have named a new brand of whisky after me, have you not, suh?"

"I have taken that liberty," answered the distiller.

"Well, suh," rejoined the colonel, "I shall have to ask you to call it something else. I have tried it, suh."

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IN THE FIELD OF LITERATURE.

New Books and Periodicals Issued During the Week.

"Told by Two" is the title of a novel by Marie St. Felix which, however, gives no idea of the nature of the story. It simply shows the structural formation, so to speak, or rather the means employed by the author to unfold the tale, soliloquy and direct narrative being used by hero and heroine to give expression to their thoughts and emotions.

On the voyage, an unmarried man is attracted by the beauty. She is attracted to him by a number of features which appear to her to be charming. At Bermuda, the two meet. The voyageur is gentle, suave, glib of tongue, of ready wit, easy ways and presumably easier morals. He proposes rides, drives, walks, talks, fishing and hunting. At first she declines, because she fears her husband in New York might not like to hear of her diversion. The cavalier, however, affects to believe that a husband who would deny his wife the pleasure of a place of resort such as Bermuda, which cannot be enjoyed at home, is a brute. The heroine immediately begins to believe that her husband is really a brute and cables him more or less to that effect. She also writes to a lady friend and enumerates instances of what she considered brutality on her spouse's part. She counts the attentions of the cavalier, even to the exclusion of friendly relations with almost every other person at the hotel. The two go to every place together. The cavalier's waggish tongue, the heroine's waggish tongue, the belief that she does not know why the tongues are waggish, because she holds that she has done nothing wrong as she and the cavalier have always been in the presence of the little community. At length the two address one another familiarly. The man professes love. The woman admits she loves him, but, at the same time, she is her husband's. The cavalier follows up his line of attack and asks if the heroine would marry him if she were not married. The answer is assuring and finally the cavalier proposes elopement, to which the woman finally assents upon the assurance that they shall not be married until the husband shall have procured a divorce. There are two vessels in the harbor, both to sail about the same time. The cavalier has secured quarters for both on the vessel bound to Bermuda and thence to France. The woman has secured quarters on the boat for New York, so as to keep up the deception. She goes aboard the New York boat with the intention of slipping on to the boat and then, and thus eloping, but while writing a farewell letter to her husband, the New York boat puts out to sea, and when the woman has finished the letter, she finds she is out of the world with no chance of carrying out her unholy purpose of eloping. She begins then to recall acts of kindness of her husband and resigns herself to the inevitable at the same time repenting her indiscretion and folly.

Both characters are correctly outlined and, in some scenes, the dialogue is bright and sharp and full of repartee.

The male character has the skill of an artful deceiver, but the author has not made him a repulsive character, save in the proposition to elope. Yet, the proposition is based upon what the man claims to be undying love which is all the more intense because of the cruelty which he feels the young woman has suffered at the hands of her husband. The author has given a graceful ending to the tale by enkindling a feeling of love for her husband, and leaving the other party to the episode to smother his wrath in impotent rage at the prevention of an escapade which would be disgusting and demoralizing.

The books is published by M. A. Pittfalls & Co., Chicago.

"Pittfalls of the Ballroom," Laird & Lee of Chicago have just published "Pittfalls of the Ballroom," by George F. Hall, the well-known lecturer and author, preceded by a strong endorsement from the famous Evangelist, Sam P. Jones. The book is a masterly presentation of a subject which has attracted great attention from leading church organizations and thinkers all over the country. The dangers of this alluring form of recreation, dancing, as practiced in the present time, are vividly here with a breadth of reasoning and purity of tone that render it a most valuable addition to the father and mother's library. A number of quotations from the works of celebrated writers on the topic add greatly to the power of the author's arguments, and in the eyes of many, will make them practically inevitable. We predict for this eloquent and clear-sighted exposure of a burning question of great morality, a large sale and wide popularity. (Paper, cover in colors, 25 cents.)

"The Concert Goer," for August 17, contains among other things a fine portrait of John Philip Sousa with an interesting sketch of his life. There is also an excellent compendium of home and foreign musical news which will be read with a great deal of interest by lovers of the heavenly art. The paper is published at 244 West Twenty-third street, New York City.

"The World's Work" for September has a wonderfully rich table of contents. In it will be found something

about "The Biggest Ship," "Financing Trusts," "An American Bridge Near Maryland," the exposition of which alone shows an undertaking the accomplishment of which should be a credit to the nation. The magazine is published at 24 Union Square, East New York City.

"Good Housekeeping," for September, is varied and practical as always the case with it. From the standpoint of a housekeeper, it shows how the hobo is treated by the queen of the kitchen. A feature of special interest to Oaklanders will be an article on a "California Bugalow," which is written by Alice Chittenden of this city. The magazine is published in Springfield, Massachusetts.

"The Strand Magazine" has a beautiful front cover in colors symbolical of autumn. There is not an article in the publication which is not illustrated, and there is not an article which is not worthy of being read from beginning to end. "The Strand" is published at 83 and 85 Duane street, New York City.

"The Living Age" for the current week has a readable discussion of "Maiden Speeches," another installment of the story, "Sister Giovanna of the Cross," and a scholarly discussion of "Great War Novels." These, however, are only a few of the fine features. "The Age" is published in Boston, Mass.

"Harper's Weekly" has really become a model publication of its kind. It gives artistic pictures of all principal happenings, both at home and abroad, with a number of live national topics which can be read with great advantage. It is published in New York City.

"The Overland" for September is making rapid improvement in all its departments. It is successfully representing the Pacific Coast, and for that reason ought to be liberally supported by the people whose home and interests it champions. The magazine is published at 512 Market street, San Francisco.

"Literary Digest," for the current week, is full in all its departments, mainly "Topics of the Day," "Letters and Art," "Science and Invention," "The Religious World," "Foreign Topics," and "Miscellaneous." In these appear samples in condensed form of the finest contemporary thought. It is published at 36 Lafayette Square, New York City.

"Everbody's Magazine" is making rapid strides toward popularity. The September number has, as a leader, the story of the "Captivity of Aguilino," told by General Punston, under whom the capture was made. This is the second volume of the magazine which the magazine has published, the first one having been written by Aguilino himself. The magazine is published by John Wanamaker, Philadelphia.

"The Ladies' Home Journal" has a charming set of subjects for September reading. Among them will be found a chapter on Ernest Seton-Thompson, an exposition of eight ways in which to cook eggs and an illustration of the richest laces in America. It is published by the Curtis Publishing Company, Philadelphia, Pa.

"Field and Stream," in its name denotes the purpose for which it is published. It will be appreciated by those who may have the opportunity of enjoying an outing as also by those who are unable to spend the time for a vacation. The magazine is published by the John P. Burkhard Publishing Co., New York City.

"Pearson's Magazine" has an excellent prepared sketch on the Russian peasant soldier, who is characterized by the generic term of "Ivan Ivanovich." There are other articles also which make the number a valuable one. It is published at 43 East Nineteenth street, New York City.

"Ainslee's Magazine" for September devotes considerable space to "Chicago as the Most Nationalized City, the Biggest Camp-meeting in the World," and illustrates it with many fine half-tone engravings. There is plenty of variety in the other articles. In "The Matter of Sweeney" there is to be found a chapter of the brutality of the police of New York under the old regime which is thrilling. "Ainslee's" is published at 238 William street, New York City.

"Vanity Fair" contains several hundred portraits of actresses, each arranged in a most attractive setting. It is also rich in material which will be found of great deal of amusement by people of all ages as well as on the stage. It is published at 116 Nassau street, New York City.

"The Century" loses none of its excellence by reason of comparison with that of any of the legion of monthlies which have sprung into existence since it was started. It still maintains its exalted position in the literary world, and its illustrations are always of the best. The contents are so numerous and attractive that it would be useless to specify any particular feature. "The Century" is published at Union Square, New York City.

"Harper's Monthly" for September carries some unusually interesting articles. The serial story, "The Portion of Labor," is well sustained. It is the first time that Mary E. Wilkins has tried the problem novel, and the New England situation presents some remarkable phases. The setting of the novel is the conflict between capital and labor, unusually interesting at this time. In view of the strike situation on this coast, Miss Wilkins is conscientiously presenting the subject from standpoint of the working man. There are many fine things in the magazine.

The leading article in "Scribner's" "The Poor in Summer" and is a very intelligent discussion of the many philanthropies of New York City. There is a long and extremely interesting article on "The United States Army." The serial story called "The Pink of Courtesy," and "A Vandal's Turn." The leading poem for the month, "Farbearance," by Edith M. Thomas.

SHAMUS O'BRIEN AT THE DEWEY

Popular Play Will Be Staged at the Dewey Theater.

At the Dewey next week, there will be a novelty presented to the patrons. The play of "Shamus O'Brien" will be presented with Charles Erin Vermer in the title role. The play has been produced all over the world and Mr. Vermer has made a reputation for himself as an actor of the heroic and romantic school in the title role. The piece gives a picture of Ireland in troublous times, when the country was swarming with red coats engaged in the futile effort of stamping out the love for freedom, the hope for which the peasantry in many cases, but poorly concealed.

The piece will be mounted in fine style and will be cast to the full strength of Mr. Stevens' Company.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE. Beginning Monday evening, next, Joseph Haworth, one of the most talented actors America has ever known will begin a short starring engagement at the Grand Opera House. The supporting company will be of unusual strength, including Herschel Mayall, Chas. Waldron, Harry J. Elmer, Gilbert Gardner, H. D. Byers, William Bernard, R. J. Butler, Elmer Murray, Franklin Ford, Laura Nelson Hall, Lillian Gustafson, Agnes Maynard, Josephine Mayne, Roselle Kenyon and Maude Housh.

The opening act will be Lester Wallace's favorite play "Roseau." This play has always been popular with the great actors, and Mr. Wallace's interpretation of "Lionel Gray" is considered one of his greatest portrayals. "Roseau" is a story of action, dignified dialogue, simple in motive with a certain element of mystery and a certain freshness. Its story is told with a straight forward simplicity and there is an inspiring echo of the bugle, a clank of the lancer's sword, and a click of the carbine. The picturesque gypsy encampment, the determination of the hero and his impetuous fair one, and the pretty ball-room scene, which forms such an effectively simple finale, all tend to maintain for "Roseau" its deserved rank as an artistic creation.

ALCAZAR. The last month of the Florence Roberts' season at the Alcazar will be ushered in with a revival of "Ingomar." For the past two years Miss Roberts has included this widely-known play in her repertoire, having assumed the role of "Arctenia" for the first time two years ago at the Alcazar. While "Ingomar" and the press accredited him with having done his best work of the season. He formerly played the title role with Julia Arthur. His physical qualifications for the impersonation of the barbarian chief, who knew naught of love or woman until he swooned before the hypnotic charms of the armor-bearer's daughter, "Arctenia," are all that could be desired. Miss Roberts invests the heroine with girlish innocence entirely free from affectation, and she is particularly effective in the beautiful portion of all of its artistic splendor, and the costumes will be elaborately true to the period. A large supernumerary corps has been added, and the production of "Ingomar" a revival of welcome. "The Taming of the Shrew" is in preparation.

TIVOLI. At the Tivoli, next week, in the great season of grand opera, the management will produce the two great operas "Norma" and "Mignon." These will be cast to the full strength of the company. Popular prices will prevail.

CALIFORNIA. At the California Theater, next week, James Neil and his company will be seen in one of their best pieces, "An Ideal Husband." This is a piece by Oscar Wilde and his light and delicate touch makes the members of the company an excellent opportunity to display their varied talents.

CENTRAL THEATRE. Messrs. Belasco and Thall announce the initial production of Edward Elmer's great Biblical drama, "A Voice From the Wilderness," at the Central Theater, commencing Tuesday evening, September 3d, in which Robert Downing will appear in the role of John the Baptist, supporting a specially engaged cast.

"A Voice From the Wilderness" is one of the most powerfully written dramas ever presented on the stage. It deals with the life of "John the Baptist," of whom "Herodias," the consort of "Herod," the Roman Tetrarch of Israel, has become violently enamored. Every act is marked by strong dramatic action, the situations are tragically forceful and the climaxes are inspiring. The workings of the play through its many characters, there being fifty speaking parts, bring out the striking contrast between the sublime role of "John the Baptist," the apostle of purity and peace, and "Herodias," votary of sensuality and personification of arbitrary power.

AN ABSENT MINDED BEGGAR. At a little dinner given in Albany recently by a few select members of the "House of Commons," one of the leaders acted as toastmaster. He has a habit of forgetting names, although his memory for events and dates is excellent. He went into a long and record of one of the men present and concluded by saying:

"Such a record makes the name of a man famous the world over. Such a man is—(long pause); what the devil is your name, old man?"

The reception given to the man introduced was marred by the hilarity occasioned by the introduction.—Brooklyn Eagle.

AN INFERENCE. The Professor—Yes, a caterpillar is the most voracious living thing. In a month it will eat about 600 times its own weight.

Dear Mrs. Ernot—Whose boy did you say he was?—Harper's Bazar.

TOM HAD A FUNERAL. AND THE FUNERAL HAD SOME UNIQUE FEATURES.

At Least They Appeared Unique to the Strangers Who Were Present and Were Not Quite Used to the Ways of Tom's Widow.

After dinner as we sat on the veranda of the hotel an old man came up the steps from the street and said: "Gentlemen, mebbe you'd like to walk up the street a few rods and show up at Tom Jackson's funeral. I've sent up the road for a preacher, and his wife has combed her hair and put on her shoes, and if you'll drop in for half an hour I'll be giving the show a good send off."

There were four of us, all strangers to the little town, and as we had nothing to do that afternoon we decided to go. We therefore followed the old man up the street to a shabby old cabin and were met at the door by a middle aged, slatternly woman, who said: "It's powerful kind of you to drop in. Take chairs and squat."

In a few minutes the preacher arrived. There were about ten of us in the room altogether, while a cart waited at the gate to convey the body to its last resting place. Pretty soon the preacher stood up, cleared his throat and began:

"Another member of our circle has fallen by the wayside in the journey of life. "Scuse me, elder," observed the wife, "but you've hit it dead wrong right at the start. Tom didn't do no fallin' down as we know of. He was taken with a chill along in the night."

"In the midst of life we are in death," continued the preacher after a painful pause. "We know not what a day may bring forth. We cometh up as a flower and are cut down. We—" "Tom was no flower," said the wife as she shook the folds out of her bandanna. "If that was any man in this yere county who could lay him on his back, I'd like to see him."

"The deceased had his faults and his virtues, the same as the rest of us," remarked the good man as he shifted about uneasily.

"Yes, that was Tom to a dot," put in the wife. "If he found a stray hog in the woods, that hog was his meat, but he was so kind hearted he'd gin away his last chaw of tobacco."

"The deceased was not a professed Christian, as I understand it, but he believed in a hereafter just the same. He believed—" "Hold on, elder," interrupted the wife; "let's keep in the road as we move along. Tom didn't hev nuthin ag'in churches, 'cept he thought the singin and prayin skinned game away. He didn't go shucks on no hereafter, however. He thought a feller who was bo'n and raised around yere and had plenty to eat and drink all the time would be a blamed hog to want to go to heaven afterward. Tom Jackson was no hog."

"We must not judge him too harshly," continued the elder, much put out, but feeling that he couldn't cut it off too short before strangers. "As I take it, every man is guided by his own conscience. He does what he thinks is for the best. For instance—" "Scuse me, Elder, Rider, but that was no for instance about Tom Jackson," interrupted the wife again. "He was just a plain, everyday man and no scollard. You are dead right about the conscience, though. That's what guided Tom. If he took a bushel of co'n mo' than was actually needed, he was troubled in his mind and would grunt out in his sleep. Anything else on your mind, elder?"

"No, not as I knows of," he stammered as he looked around. "Waal, I reckon you've hit the mark high 'nuff. Tom was no talker himself, and he didn't keer to be around whar folks was blabbin. If you want to pray, elder, drive ahead, but don't spin it out."

"I kin skip that," he replied. "All right. We'll tote the body out to the cart. Strangers, will you tote?" We lifted up the coffin and carried it out to the cart, and the widow mounted up beside it and said:

"Thankie, strangers, and you needn't bother no mo'. I'm such was powerful kind of you. Be mighty keeful 'bout holes and rocks, Jim, fur Tom did despise to be joggled and bumped about."

Three hours later I passed the cabin, and the woman sat on the doorstep using a snuff stick. I lifted my hat in salutation, and she waived her hand and said:

"Kivered up in good shape, and I'm much obleeged to you uns fur drappin in." M. QUAD.

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